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Attempt to Keep Italy Out of War

ROOSEVELT AND BARNES ON THE WITNESS STAND

Large Crowd in Courtroom to Hear Principals in $50,000 Libel Suit—Platt Letters to be Read

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—The prospect of seeing both Theodore Roosevelt and William Barnes upon the witness stand in the trial of the latter's $50,000 libel suit against Colonel Roosevelt drew to the courthouse today a crowd fully as large as that which gathered when the former president first went on the stand.

Although counsel for the defense intimated that they would not question the colonel at any great length, W. M. Ivins, chief counsel for Mr. Barnes was said to be ready to put the colonel through an extended cross examination. Before court opened there was much speculation as to whether Justice William S. Andrews would permit Mr. Barnes as a witness for the defense to be questioned further than was necessary to properly identify the stock, minute and other books of the Albany Journal company which have been in his custody. Mr. Barnes was instructed to produce the books yesterday after the secretary-treasurer of the corporation had testified that they were in his possession.

Edward T. Platt, son of the late United States senator, Thomas C. Platt, was ready today to produce 12 or 14 letters selected from a large number brought here in answer to a subpoena served upon him on behalf of Colonel Roosevelt. After the Roosevelt attorneys went over the great mass of correspondence they decided, however, that all except the number stated were valueless to their case.

41 PERSONS DEAD

Killed or Drowned in the Recent Storms or Floods in Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, May 4.—Forty-one persons were killed or drowned in recent storms or floods in Texas, according to a compilation made public here today. Thirty-six bodies have been recovered, while five persons missing at Austin for two weeks are counted with the dead. Twenty-one of the bodies were recovered at Austin.

Rough estimates place the damage to property by the flood at $2,500,000.

FUNERALS

KEDWARD—The funeral of Eliza Kedward was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 409 Westford street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. The body was sent to Frankford, Pa., where burial took place. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

ROBEY—The funeral of Elmer H. Robey was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orwell P. Robey, 401 Walker street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

CARLEY—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth Carley were held in the Congregational church, Tewksbury, on Sunday. The church was well filled with relatives and friends, the unusually large number of beautiful floral offerings told of the great love and esteem in the hearts of those gathered to pay their last tribute to the memory of Mrs. Carley, who will be so missed in her large family, of husband, sons, daughters and grandchildren left to mourn her loss. The bearers were her sons, Joseph, Fred, Albert and Howard. Burial was in the Centre cemetery. Dr. S. A. Dixon officiated.

FUNERAL NOTICES

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Brien will take place from her home, 301 Gorham street at 9 a. m. Wednesday. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of James H. McDermott.

UNION B. HUNT DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 4.—Union B. Hunt, 51, president of the insurance department of the Supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, died yesterday.

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CHALIFOUX'S

CARMAN TRIAL

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 4.—One hundred additional talesmen from whose numbers more jurors were to be chosen to try Mrs. Florence Carman for the murder of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey last June were in the supreme courtroom today when the trial was resumed. Five jurors had been selected in the first day's session. It was expected, however, that the jurybox would be filled today.

Mrs. Carman spent the night locked up in the jail. Her active part in the selection of the jury is one of the chief features of her second trial. In the first trial she had little to say about the choice of jurors, but this time she seems to be in charge of this part of her case and her three attorneys defer to her judgment.

ATTEMPT TO KILL VILLA

COLONEL OLIVAS OF VILLA'S STAFF FIRED THREE SHOTS AT LEADER —TWO TOOK EFFECT

SAN ANTONJO, Texas, May 4.—An attempt to kill General Villa was made by Colonel Olivas of his staff, according to news received today from Chihuahua dated May 1. It was said three shots were fired and Villa was wounded twice but not dangerously. Olivas was killed by his brother officers. It was said the trouble followed reduction of Olivas to the ranks for insubordination.

DEATHS

HOLLAND—Mrs. Frances V. Holland, widow of William H. Holland, died yesterday at St. John's hospital. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey. Deceased lived at 7 Favor street.

BARCLAY—Mrs. Jessie M. Barclay died yesterday at her home, 17 Corson street, aged 68 years. She leaves her husband, Oscar R. Barclay; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur B. Graves of Nashua, N. H., and Alice R., of this city; one son, Harry J. Barclay of West Somerville and two grandchildren. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church

THORNING—Claretta M. Thorning, daughter of Fernando A. and Edith M. Thorning, died April 30 in Brighton, aged 3 years and 8 months. She leaves, besides her parents, five brothers and one sister.

May 8

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NEW OFFERS BY GERMAN OFFICIAL AVERT CRISIS

Sudden Attack on Russians in Western Galicia Result of Elaborate Plan Made by the German and Austrian Military Chiefs

Italy has postponed again her decision concerning participation in the war. Rome despatches say that new offers have been presented on behalf of Austria in an effort to satisfy Italy's territorial demands.

King Victor Emmanuel's decision not to attend the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument is regarded as indicating that no warlike action will be taken in the immediate future, for it was the opinion in Rome that his presence on this occasion would have been equivalent to a declaration of war on Austria. Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador is credited with having averted a crisis by presenting the new offers.

Information from Vienna which the Austrian military authorities are now willing to have known shows that the sudden attack on the Russians in western Galicia was the result of an elaborate plan made by the German and Austrian military chiefs several weeks ago. A large army of fresh Austrian and German troops was concentrated before Cracow for the attack.

German Claims Exaggerated

Unofficial advices from Russian sources assert that the German claims of victory are exaggerated, although it is admitted the movement was an important one. The Russian war office has had little to say concerning this situation further than to state that violent fighting has taken place. A London despatch concedes that if it is true the Russian front has been pierced the war will be prolonged greatly.

Austrians Attack Montenegrins

Simultaneously with the new attack on the Russian front Austria has resumed operations against Montenegro, after a lull over the greater part of the winter. An official Montenegrin statement says Austrian attacks all along the front were repulsed. At Berlin it is said a new Austrian army has been prepared to resume the campaign against Serbia.

Fighting in Dardanelles

Little news comes from the Dardanelles. One unofficial despatch says fierce fighting is proceeding day and night. It is reported the Turks have suffered heavily and that their most important defenses are now invested, but such reports as come from Constantinople continue to present an optimistic view of the situation.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE OFF GALLOPER LIGHTSHIP

BERLIN, May 4.—The German admiralty has issued an announcement setting forth that on May 1 a German submarine sunk the British torpedoboat destroyer Recruit in the neighborhood of the Galloper lightship.

On the same day near the North Hinder lightship there was an engagement between two German patrol boats and several armed English steam trawlers. One trawler was destroyed. A division of British destroyers thereupon entered the action and the German patrol boats were lost. The British admiralty declares that a majority of the crew was saved.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK BY ALLIES TO NORTH OF YPRES YESTERDAY

PARIS, May 4.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"There was a German attack yesterday evening on the British front to the north of Ypres. The Germans were driven back by our allies.

"In the Argonne near Bagatelle we delivered an attack which resulted in the gaining of ground."

WAR BULLETINS TELL OF AUSTRO-GERMAN VICTORY OVER RUSSIANS

VIENNA, May 4.—War bulletins issued by the Austrian and German army headquarters and posted in Vienna yesterday and today bring news of the Austrian-German victory over the Russians in western Galicia.

A large Austro-German army has been steadily concentrating before Cracow for the past three weeks with the purpose of making a new offensive movement. All available Austro-Hungarian troops have been quietly transferred during this time to the Dunajec front and for a fortnight past an unbroken stream of troop trains has been pouring eastward from Frankfort, Berlin and other German railroad centers. Thus was warning given that big events were impending in the east. Newspaper correspondents were permitted to telegraph that a new offensive on the Russian front was in preparation and even to intimate that the blow would fall neither in the Mazurian lake regions nor in the Carpathians. Closer indications, of course, were out of the question.

Final plans for this movement were approved at a conference held in Berlin April 23 between General Von Falkenhayn, chief of the German staff and Field Marshal Conrad Von Hoetzendorf, chief of the Austrian staff. General Mackenson, commander of the German ninth army, who came from the front in Poland also was present at the Berlin conference. He left for the front to take command of the new army that same night after receiving his final instructions. So far as is known Field Marshal Von Hindenburg did not attend the Berlin council of war although he visited German headquarters with General Mackenson shortly previous to this.

It is too early as yet to discuss the full military effect of this victory in Galicia but it is the opinion of Austrian observers that the German and Austrian strategists "got the jump" on the offensive which the Russians were believed to be planning and of which their campaign in the Carpathians was thought to have been preliminary.

The number of prisoners taken by the Teutonic allies mentioned in the first report is noticeably small but the experts here expect that the total number of men captured and the amount of war booty will grow rapidly.

GEN. BOTHA'S UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA TROOPS CAPTURE OTYMBINGUE

CAPE TOWN, via London, May 4.—5.11 a. m.—An official statement issued here last night says that General Botha's union of South Africa troops on Sunday captured Otymbingue an important post 100 miles east of Swakopmund, German Southwest Africa. The British losses were only eight killed. Five of these men lost their lives in the explosion of a mine during the advance up the Swakop river.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Berlin and Vienna announce great victory in Galicia; Russian army said to be crushed from Hungarian border to Vistula river.

Germans pursue Russians in direction of Riga on the Baltic.

Severe battle is in progress in northern Poland, with the Germans attacking.

Austrians claim gains in the Beskids, Eastern Carpathians.

British repel attacks at St. Julien and at Hill 60.

German assault in forest of Le Pretre repulsed by the French.

Three Norwegian steamers sunk by German submarines.

Allies reported to have captured Maitos on the Dardanelles.

Washington awaits fuller details before taking any action on the Gulflight.

Canada puts ban on shipment of grain to United States; restrictions on shipments to United Kingdom.

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AID JEWISH SUFFERERS

JACOB SCHIFF SUGGESTS THAT AT LEAST 2,000,000 JEWS SHOULD EMIGRATE BEYOND MISSISSIPPI

NEW YORK, May 4.—Jacob H. Schiff's suggestion that at least two million Jews from abroad should emigrate to the country beyond the Mississippi river created enthusiasm today among those interested in the movement to aid Jewish sufferers from the war. He declared that the west was ready to welcome them and that a land of plenty awaited them there.

Mr. Schiff's proposal was made in an address to the Educational alliance last night on his return from a trip to San Antonio, San Francisco, Kansas City and Chicago, undertaken in part to discover the sentiment toward the Jews in the west.

SHIPMENT OF GRAIN

EXPORTATION FROM CANADA TO THE UNITED STATES PROHIBITED

OTTAWA, Ont., May 4.—The shipment of wheat, flour and a large number of other agricultural products and commodities to the United States has been prohibited, it was officially announced today except when such shipments are intended solely for domestic consumption in the United States and not for re-shipment abroad. Exportation of Canadian wheat and other farm products to certain foreign countries through the United States is allowed upon permits to be obtained in each individual case from Dominion authorities here. These permits must be delivered to customs officers at ports of exit, it is announced, before the shipment may be sent out of the country.

Another detail of the new restrictions is that all such products shipped out of the Dominion must be consigned to specific firms or individuals and that bills of lading must state that the products are for consumption in the United States.

Reasons for the restrictions were not divulged.

TOURING SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AYRES, May 4.—Former Senator Theodore Burton and Judge Otto Schoennech, who are touring So. America to promote closer relations with the United States, will arrive tomorrow from Chile. They will be met by Ambassador Frederick J. Stimson and the embassy staff. Later in the week they will be entertained by Senor De La Plaza and the minister of foreign affairs.

WANTED

Young man to assist in amateur photography, some experience preferred. State particulars in reply. References. Write K, 83 Sun Office.

BOLD ATTEMPT TO KILL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

Sebastian, Suspended Chief of Police and Candidate for Mayor of Los Angeles, Attacked

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—Charles E. Sebastian, suspended chief of police and candidate for the mayoralty nomination at today's primary election, was the object of an attempted assassination last night. He was sitting in the front room of his residence talking to J. C. Royer, who was a witness in his behalf at Sebastian's trial yesterday on charges of immorality.

About 11 o'clock the telephone bell rang and the chief answered it, talking for about ten minutes. The person at the other end of the wire professed to be a friend of Sebastian and made inquiries about how to mark his ballot in the election.

Returning to the room where he had left Royer, Sebastian was about to sit down when a shot was fired and a bullet crashed through the window, whizzing directly over the chair in which Sebastian had been sitting. Immediately afterward another bullet crashed through the window and lodged in a book lying on a table in the center of the room.

Neighbors attracted by the shots said they saw a man wearing a light overcoat and carrying a satchel run from the rear of the house. About an hour before the shooting neighbors also said they had seen two men lurking in the shadow of the porch of the Sebastian home.

Sebastian has alleged that the charges involving his morality were the outcome of a political plot hatched when he announced himself as a candidate for mayor.

Fred J. Whitten, president of the city council and Ralph Crisswell, socialist, appeared to be Sebastian's most formidable opponents at today's primaries.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Election of Officers and Annual Report Showing Principal Activities of the Year

The twenty-first club year of the Middlesex Women's club was brought to a close yesterday afternoon with the election of officers and the reading of reports. Miss Grace Ward, who has served the club as president so ably and tactfully for the past three years, could not again be constitutionally elected and she retired to the evident regret of the members. Mrs. Charles S. Proctor was elected in her place, and the folowing ballot, prepared by the nominating committee, was accepted with no nominations from the floor.

President, Mrs. Ida H. Proctor.

Vice presidents, Miss Susie L. D. Watson, Mrs. Idabel A. Stearns, Miss M. Maude Lancaster.

Recording secretary, Miss Mary A. Shattuck.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Annie K. Greene.

Treasurer, Mrs. Annie B. Robertson.

Chairman of finance, Mrs. Emma F. Thompson.

Directors, Mrs. Julia M. Chadwick, Mrs. Gertrude J. Washburn, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney.

Reports of the March business meeting and the annual report of the recording secretary were read by Miss Mary A. Shattuck, and the report of the treasurer was read by Mrs. S. H. Thompson, chairman of finance. The report of the correspondence secretary, Mrs. Harvey E. Greene, showed that the full membership is 700 with 56

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TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

PRES. WILSON CONSIDERING REPORTS FROM AMERICAN CONSUL STEPHENS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—President Wilson had before him for consideration today preliminary reports from American Consul Stephens at Plymouth telling of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight in the English channel on Saturday which resulted in the death of her captain from heart failure and the drowning of two of her crew. These reports were submitted to the president by Secretary Bryan, who has directed Consul Stephens and Ambassador Gerard at Berlin to make a thorough inquiry into the wrecking of the steamer.

Although state department officials who have looked into the legal phases of the matter based on the preliminary reports are convinced that there was no excuse for the attack on the Gulflight, Secretary Bryan reiterated his statement that until the official facts in the case are in hand no decision would be reached as to the American government's policy or its representations to Germany. The United States, however, probably will demand ample reparation in case the inquiry discloses that a German submarine made the attack.

ED. WALSH SERIOUSLY ILL

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—Developing a severe case of grippe from a cold contracted five days ago, Ed. Walsh, Chicago American league pitcher, suffered from a high fever yesterday, and was in such a condition that his departure for Chicago has been indefinitely postponed.

ELKS BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, May 4.—A team from the Revere lodge last night won the Elks' bowling championship help in connection with the title of the Atlantic Coast Bowling association. Their score for a five man candle pin team was 1476, of which "Red" Miller contributed a pin fall of 344.

C. C. Henry of this city set a new tournament high mark for individual duck pins with 323. In the two men duck pin class Paige and Hardy, also of Boston, set 624 as the high score.

Candle pin keeper was Mediocre. Individually, H. L. Waters won the honors with 302, while Schultz and Hennessy were high rollers in doubles at 606.

IN POLICE COURT

Larceny of two pairs of shoes valued at three dollars from an unknown person was the complaint preferred against John Smith of South Boston, when the latter was arraigned before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. Clerk Trull asked John to give the court his right name, but the defendant said it was Smith, and pleaded not guilty to the complaint. At the request of Deputy Downey the case was continued until Friday for trial.

James Clark was arrested for drunkenness last night. He was under a suspended sentence and the court ordered the suspension revoked and Clark will spend the next four months in the house of correction.

Sent to Jail

Lester Bent, who was released yesterday morning by Probation Officer Slattery on his first offense, could not abstain from intoxicants and he again pleaded guilty to being drunk, having been arrested a few hours after his release. Three other second offenders were given sentences of one month in jail.

Mentally Deranged

The case of Thomas McCaffrey, charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime and larceny of over $100 worth of jewelry from Henry Lavallee's store on Merrimack street, did not come up for trial this forenoon as the defendant had been pronounced mentally deranged.

MR. BRIDGEFORD INJURED

FELL DOWN EMBANKMENT AND SUSTAINED SERIOUS CUTS AND BRUISES

While assisting in the construction of a stone wall near the entrance of the G. C. Moore scouring mills yesterday afternoon, John Bridgeford of North Chelmsford stumbled over a large boulder and tumbled headlong down an embankment, sustaining severe injuries to his head, besides a severe shock to his system and numerous cuts and bruises about the body. Medical assistance was hastily summoned and the injured man was removed to his apartment over the mill. Mr. Bridgeford has been employed as an engineer by the G. C. Moore Co. for a number of years.

ITALY ON BRINK OF WAR

King and Ministers Cannot Leave Capital to Attend Unveiling of Garibaldi Monument

ROME, May 4—In view of the international situation the king and his ministers cannot leave the capital to be present at the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument at Quarto Sant 'Elena, was the text of a note issued after the meeting of the cabinet yesterday. Its publication produced a profound effect upon public opinion.

Abandonment of the plan for the participation of King Victor Emmanuel and high government officials in the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling is believed to have been the result of the call made by Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador upon Foreign Minister Sonnino Sunday night. The details of this conference are supposed to have been presented at the meeting of the cabinet, the call for which was not issued until yesterday morning. The ministers assembled nine hours later and the council lasted four hours.

Immediately after the council closed Baron Sonnino, who had called upon the king before the session opened, went to the consulate, where the first secretary of the German embassy awaited him. After receiving a verbal communication from the baron, the secretary hastened to the villa Malta, the private residence of Prince Von Buelow, while Foreign Minister Sonnino called upon the king for a second time.

The censors have forbidden the transmission of all comment upon yesterday's events. Correspondents are permitted to say, however, that Prince Von Buelow made new proposals Sunday night to Baron Sonnino, which were submitted to the cabinet ministers, who will hold another council today.

The press is unanimous in declaring the abandonment of the king's trip to Quarto has in no way altered the government's decisions. A semi-official note couched in vague general terms says:

"Italy's attitude cannot undergo any change from the king's not going to Quarto."

It is recalled that when committees arranging for the dedication of the monument called upon his majesty to invite him to be present at the ceremonies he answered: "I shall go if reasons of state do not prevent me."

An official of the foreign office is reported to have stated that the government's decision was due entirely to the situation in Tripoli, where "Italy might be forced to extreme measures to protect our colony where German agents are fomenting rebellion."

A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The accounts of dances held quarter of a century ago are interesting for many reasons, not the least being that they give the younger generation an idea as to who was who on the waxed floor before the days of the tango, and often one reads a familiar name, among the dancers of days gone by, the owner of which today has unmistakeable kinks in his walk, as though he had never pivotted on the polished surface until a hole in the floor began to appear and then went home to hum the "Blue Danube" in his sleep. Of course I mean nothing personal in publishing in connection with the foregoing the old Sun's report of the annual ball of the Burke Temperance society of quarter of a century ago.

The old Sun said:

"The sixth anniversary ball given by the Burke Temperance society in Huntington hall, last evening, was one of the most successful in the history of the society. The hall was uncomfortably thronged, 1500 being a low estimate of the number present. Prior to the ball which was complimentary to the members, 92 new members were received into the society. The American orchestra furnished music for a dance order of 24 numbers and gave a concert program from 8 till 9. Over 300 couples took part in the march and there would have been more had there been room. It was led by Floor Director James J. Redmond and Miss Lottie Denahue followed by James F. Miskella and sister. There were many invited guests, among them being His Honor, Mayor Palmer, James O'Sullivan, of St. Patrick's Temperance society; M. J. Lynch, of the Mathews, J. B. O'Connor, of St. Peter's; R. J. Walsh, of the Crescents; William H. Stafford, of Court Merrimack, F. of A., M. F. Conley, of Court General Shields; J. H. Sheehan, of Court Middlesex; E. F. Slattery, of Court City of Lowell and Thomas Daly, of the Neptunes. Among the guests from out of town were: Miss Wagstaff, Miss Creighton and Miss Dacey, of Lawrence; Messrs. Henry Flanagan, Thomas E. Barry, F. J. Morris, John A. McGrath; James O'Connor, William Morris, Timothy Callaghan, Stephen Flanagan, William Dempsey, Luke Larter, and John A. O'Brien, of the Young Men's Temperance society of Lawrence; Messrs. Wm. Quigley, Jas. W. Ward, Henry McKeon and T. J. Lyons, of St. John's Temperance society, North Chelmsford; J. W. Conway, Timothy Mahoney and William Powers, of North Billerica; John Keane, of the Fr. Mathews of Lawrence; and a large delegation from Lynn. Supper was served by Page & Nunn. The following were the officers: Floor director, James J. Redmond, assistant, Richard J. Lynn; aids, T. F. Clark, J. Liston; J. Breen, J. Lucey, J. J. O'Connor, J. F. McManus, J. F. McGarrahan, J. Daily; general manager, James F. Miskella; assistant, John F. McLoughlin; reception committee, F. J. O'Hare, Thomas Cox, James A. Mahar, J. H. Gormley, J. McGuinness, E. W. Kelly, W. Dwyer, W. H. Stafford, F. J. Dowd, J. Winn, J. Murphy, J. McVey, J. E. Sexton and J. McCaffrey, secretary."

What Mrs. Miller Advocated

I am not an expert on women's wearing apparel but I will venture a wager that Mrs. Jenness Miller, who lectured here quarter of a century ago on dress reform didn't make many converts in this city. Mrs. Miller's lecture was reported in the old Sun as follows: "Mrs. Jenness Miller lectured in the Opera House last evening on the subject of dress reform. She prefaced her discourse with remarks on the necessity of physical development among women. The object of dress, she said, is to cover the body with harmony and without ligatures or bands. She condemned the use of corsets as injurious. The Jenness Miller system of dress (according to the old Sun), consists first of an undergarment made of various materials, fitting the form perfectly. Over this garment, women who need support wear a boned waist. The next garment is one coming down to, or a little below the knee, fitting closely at the waist. Over this is worn a divided skirt which is so full that one casually looking at it would not realize that it is so different from the ordinary one. The advantage of this skirt is that it reduces the resistance in walking, is lighter and enables the wearer to have more freedom of movement than at present."

As far as I can remember the Miller make-up didn't become popular in Lowell.

A Monster Attachment

One of the largest attachments ever placed in Lowell was that of $1,000,000 against the Lowell machine shop 25 years ago. The suit was brought by the heirs of John F. Fosdick, for an infringement on a patent loom invented by Mr. Fosdick. The company admitted having used the patent but took it up 12 years after the original patent had expired.

More Silver Jubilees

There's a silver jubilee at the Vesper club due next Saturday to several well known men of this city, for The Sun of quarter of a century ago had the following:

"A regular meeting of the Vesper Boat club was held Thursday evening, (May 8) when the following new members were admitted: Edward F. Staples, Julian Clark Hood, William D. Rundlett, Walter C. Wright, H. Fordyce Coburn, Fred W. Coburn, John H. Fuller, Harry L. Standley, Arthur D. Pickering; non-residents, Harry G. Bixby, Nashua; and George A. Clay, Waltham.

Joined National Organization

It's just 25 years since the local letter carriers joined the national organization, having themselves at that time but recently organized.

The old Sun said:

"The local letter carriers have joined the national association and have elected the following officers: E. A. Howe, president; John L. Marren, vice-president; Frederick Taylor, secretary; John J. Donnelly, treasurer; T. J. McNabb, D. Crowley, J. Sullivan, Thomas Duffy and C. Holden, board of government. This branch will be known as association 25. Meetings will be held monthly. A national convention will be held in Boston in August."

Dan Cosgrove Assaulted

Don't become alarmed. This happened quarter of a century ago and the victim entirely recovered. The old Sun had the following disquieting item, 25 years ago:

"Daniel Cosgrove was assaulted by roughs in Appleton street last evening. Two of them were subsequently arrested."

They must have been rough-necks, indeed, to assault a man of peace like Daniel. Those were the days before Daniel entered politics. Since that time he has been in many a lively political assault, generally coming through with flying colors.

Different From The Old Days

In yesterday's papers we read of the superintendent of police and others following the boulevards in the new police auto Sunday on the trail of speeding joy-riders. How different from quarter of a century ago when the old Sun had the following:

"Already some Lowell youths have been hauled up by the Lawrence police for fast driving in that city. They went there for a drink, imbibed too freely and paid heavy fines in the police court next day."

Twenty-five years ago everybody didn't wear a Ford runabout on his watch chain, and the young man who had the inclination and the price to go joy-riding considered himself lucky to be able to hire a horse and buggy, and the favorite drive in those days was down the Lawrence road to the down-river city. The test of a horse long ago was the speed with which it could negotiate the distance between here and Lawrence, and I believe it was Ed. Conant, the famous auctioneer, then a lover of and authority on horses, who originated the statement that a horse that couldn't make Lawrence inside of an hour was no good. As Lowell was a no-license city quarter of a century ago, the fact that the young men in question took the long ride, for a drink, is not surprising. The ride to Lawrence was considered a sufficient stunt for a horse in those days, while now the distance is covered in a twinkling, comparatively, by auto.

Moody School Flag

Says the old Sun:

"The American flag presented by the descendants of Paul Moody to the Moody school, which was named in his honor, was hoisted over the building on Wednesday."

There are probably hundreds of graduates of the Moody school, as well as hundreds who frequent Moody street who have never given a second thought as to the identity of Paul Moody, after whom these were named. Of course, Lowell is named after Francis Cabot Lowell, who introduced the manufacture of cotton in this country and city, but at the outset Mr. Lowell found that he couldn't put his great scheme into operation without the aid of a mechanical genius and that genius was Paul Moody. Mr. Moody was born in Amesbury in 1777, and became well known as a manufacturer in that town in connection with Ezra Worthen, who also has a school and a street named after him. Mr. Lowell secured the services of Mr. Moody and they started in business in Waltham. Then Messrs. Lowell and Moody got together and invented the double-speeder for spinning, while Mr. Moody's peculiar invention was the filling-threstle, and began spinning and weaving under the same roof. It was Mr. Moody who discovered the possibilities of the Pawtucket canal, with his friend Worthen and through their efforts the company was formed that took control of the water power of the Merrimack river. In 1822 the Merrimack Manufacturing company was started here with an original capital of $600,000 and its first business was to erect the dam at Pawtucket falls, and to widen and deepen the Pawtucket canal. Five hundred men were employed on the work. Mr. Moody removed here from Waltham in 1823 and took charge of the company's machine shop which was completed at a cost of $150,000, and he was in charge eight years when he died, July 5, 1831. Born and bred a mechanic he was also a gentleman and a scholar.

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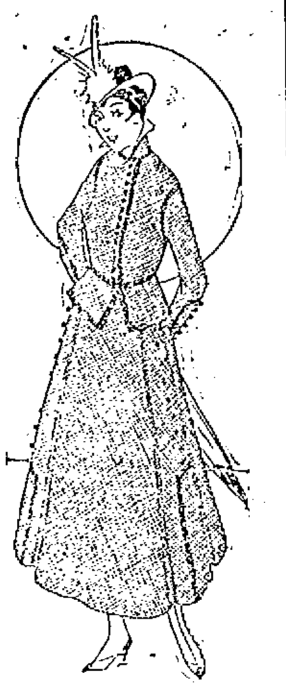

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THE LADY'S WORKBAG

If you wish to shrink goods before making a garment, fold the goods through the center, laying the selvedges together and crease through the centre. Put the goods into a tub of water, and then throw it, dripping wet, without wringing over a long straight line, having the fold come on the line, and pin frequently.

The cloth will not need ironing, as the weight of the water makes it smooth and straight. The selvedges are also kept nice and straight, thus making it easier to cut out the garment than if the cloth had to be ironed.

Sometimes a perfectly good dress will shrink in the washing, and in letting out the hem the edges will be found much worn. A good idea is to cut off the hem and put in a row of insertion or wash braid, then add the hem and face it up as far as the insertion.

The cross-stitch, with all the romantic touches that time has given it, is with us again as never before. It comes in revivals of old, and in original forms, but no matter how it appears, it possesses an endearing charm.

Who does not remember the cross-stitch bookmark? Pedantic to a fault, it epitomized some sentiment of puritanical colonial days. "Read and mark it well," is an old bookmark motto that at least shows a leaning toward levity rather startling for such a punless clan as the dear old Pilgrim fathers, yet it orginated with them, and is revived today in "Frenchy" colors pink or blue, or vice versa.

Then there are backs of after-dinner coffee trays done in cross-stitch. These are on linen of course, covered with glass and and enframed with an oval or an oblong of mahogany. Brass handles on the sides or ends give the only additional useful ornamental touch.

A boudoir cap can be made of a man's handkerchief and val lace. Stitch the val insertion in some fanciful design on the handkerchief, or trim it by merely sewing the lace from side to side, forming a cross; now cut out the material underneath the lace and round the corners.

Gather the crown into an inch wide headband of lawn. Ruffle an edge of narrow lace to the top of the band and another to the lower edge and then add two small bunches of ribbon, rosebuds at each side of the cap. A white hat elastic run through the headband will make the cap adjustable to any head size.

Handy night pockets used to hold a handkerchief, watch, cough drops, or whatever one wishes handy, are made from an eleven-inch strip of linen, folded up three-fourths of the length. The upper edge is turned over and stitched to form a casing through which a piece of feather bone is slipped. This holds the pocket taut, so that it will not fall together when anything is placed in it. A length of ribbon is fastened at each end of the upper edge.

Now is the time when the "fore-handed" woman is getting some of her sewing done. Before making up the colored wash materials she shrinks them and "sets" the colors. Green and lavender materials will retain their coloring, unhurt by laundry work, if they are soaked first fifteen minutes in about two gallons of cold water to which a cupful of strong vinegar has been added.

Salted water or water to which turpentine has been added will set pinks and blues. Colored silk stockings may be successfully washed by following the same rules.

If you rub a bit of dry soap across the new spool of silk, you will not be bothered by having the silk unwind too quickly when threaded into the machine.

Do the needleworkers realize what pretty articles may be fashioned of odds and ends of material? Never throw anything away, but keep it in your scrap box ready for use when required. A very pretty bow for a gift was made of a piece of satin ribbon ten or eleven inches long; sew the ends and turn them to form points, fold the ribbon so that one end hangs over the other, and gather across about an inch below the fold, drawing up and fastening.

Take a bit of coronation-braid and form into five loops of three coils, each which gives a square petal, like a wild rose, set firmly in the center, and cover with a circle of small beads, surrounding a larger one or a small, fancy button.

Attach one of these ornaments to each tab a little above the point, and see if you are not pleased with the result obtained from a few "scraps" and a little time spent in working on them.

A napkin case would be a help in keeping the linen drawer in perfect order. Whether the case is elaborately embroidered or merely marked with a single cross-stitched initial the method of making the case is the same.

Two strips of linen, a little wider than a folded napkin, are crossed in the center, after first being pointed at both ends and bound or buttonhold. The three sides of the crossed pieces are securely stitched, the one side being left open so that a piece of cardboard can be slipped in place. This will hold the bottom of the case firm. Place the napkins on the base, fold the two ends over and fasten, then fold the other sides over the top and secure with snap fasteners.

For a quickly made case a heavy quality of cream linen, bound with blue tape, secured with snap fasteners, with the owner's initials in blue cross-stitch, would be most attractive. A case for the table cloth may be bound in the same way, excepting that it should be oblong in shape. This offers a suggestion for an attractive way to give a bridal gift of table linen.

NO-LICENSE CAMPAIGN

Worcester Ministerial League Favors Action—Resolution to Be Taken at Federation Session

WORESTER, May 4.—Worcester Ministerial league adopted the following resolution yesterday:

"Resolved, That it is the unanimous sentiment of the Worcester Ministers league that a no-license campaign be undertaken in our city this year, and that the campaign be undertaken by the Worcester Interchurch Federation in cooperation with other no-license and temperance organizations in the city."

The resolution will be reported at the annual meeting of the Interchurch Federation on May 27.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPAN TO URGE RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION TO MAKE NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS

TOKIO, May 4.—Minister of Justice Ozaki is quoted by the newspapers as having announced that the cabinet had decided to send an ultimatum to China urging her to reconsider the decision to make no further concessions to Japan.

It is explained in official circles that Japan has no desire to resort to force, but that China "must be made to realize this country is determined upon the acceptance of its program for solidifying the peace of the Orient."

The press considers the ultimatum a proper step. The Times believes that if China refuses to yield Japan should occupy provinces like Shantung, "until China comes to her senses." This, the paper says, would not constitute a violation of China's integrity, "since its sole aim would be to ensure the integrity of the country."

The belief is professed in some circles that China may send word at the last minute that additional concessions are possible and in this way avert the ultimatum.

CHINO-JAPANESE NEGOTIATIONS

LONDON, May 4.—The question as to how Japan can reconcile some of her demands upon China with her professed intention of upholding the independence of that country is asked by the Manchester Guardian in reviewing editorially the Chino-Japanese negotiations.

"China does agree," says the Guardian, "to the request that she shall not cede to a third power any harbors, bays or islands along her coasts—an undertaking against which nothing can be said except that it apparently leaves Japan free to demand from China just what China is forbidden to grant a third party. If Japan would enter into a self-denying ordinance then, indeed, China and those who wish her well would have solid ground for satisfaction. But now we remain puzzled to know how Japan can reconcile some of her demands, those for instance which China has rejected with her professed intention of upholding the independence of China."

TO WED STENOGRAPHER

John H. Butler, 73, of Somerville, to Marry Miss Alice W. Eeels, 53, of Boston

BOSTON, May 4.—Associate Justice John Haskell Butler of the Somerville police court, 73 years old and a widower, yesterday applied at the city clerk's office in Somerville for a license to marry Miss Alice Williams [illegible], 53 years old, living at the Hotel [illegible] Boston. She is a stenographer.

Mr. Butler is a lawyer in Somerville and Boston and has been associate justice for the past [illegible] years. His home is at 10 [illegible] street, East Somerville.

He entered Yale university [illegible] years of age. He was a [illegible] of William C. Whitney, secretary of the [illegible] President Cleveland. [illegible]

He was for [illegible] years a member of the Somerville school board and was one year in the Massachusetts house of representatives. From 1881 to 1886 he served in the governor's council. He is a prominent officer in the Royal Arcanum.

Miss Eeels is a native of Hanover.

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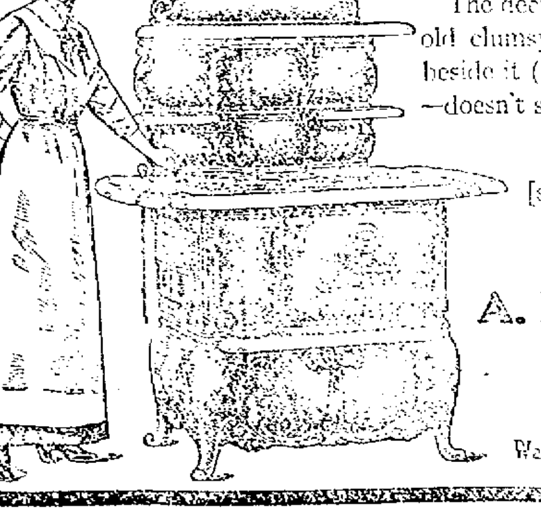

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Passes Boston & Maine Measure — House Passes the "Clean Milk" Bill

BOSTON, May 4.—The state senate yesterday, by a vote of 29 to 8, passed to be engrossed the bill for the reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad. This stage is the final one in the senate, unless the very unusual step of trying to defeat the bill on its enactment is taken. The bill will now go to the house.

The senate passed the bill practically as it was reported from the committee on railroads. Various amendments were offered, but the only ones adopted were those offered by Senator Hobbs, the chairman of that committee, and a minor one proposed by Senator McLane. The senate plainly showed that it was disposed to abide by the judgment of members who have spent so much time in the consideration of the act.

Senator Hobbs, beginning the debate on the bill, made a comprehensive and lucid statement of the reasons for the legislation and the objects which the bill was designed to accomplish. The fundamental and essential things were, he said, to enable the Boston & Maine to escape from its present difficulties by a consolidation with the companies which it now leases, and to authorize the Boston & Maine to fund its floating debt; the road probably could not fund its debt at present because its financial condition was so unfavorable that people would not invest in its securities.

The bill, he said, gave the road a chance to sell its paper, or, if that result could not be had, to call on its stockholders for the funds needed to get rid of this debt.

Relief for the Trustees

The first of the Hobbs amendments provides in brief that the trustees shall not be compelled to go to the public service commission for its approval of every use they may propose to make of the money received from the sale of stock, but that if the public service commission subsequently finds that any money was used for purposes not properly capitalizable, the amount so expended shall be charged against the premiums heretofore realized from the sale of stock.

Another of Senator Hobbs' amendments strikes out the clause which would give the public service commission, after it has validated the proposed issues of new capital, authority to say in effect that the rates of the company need not be put high enough to earn dividends on such stock.

Limiting Directors

The senate adopted an amendment, proposed by Senator McLane, which provides that a director of the Boston & Maine may not be a director of any other railroad in the commonwealth, and also that the Boston & Maine may not purchase materials or supplies from any director of that road, or from the director of any other railroad in the state.

Spotters' Bill Unconstitutional

The supreme court sent down in reply to questions submitted by the senate an opinion that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. This bill is known as the "Railroad spotters" bill; it provides that if any person gives information which may lead to the disciplining or discharge of the employe of a railroad, such employe must not be disciplined or discharged until he has had opportunity to make a statement in the presence of the person giving the information.

The opinion, a majority one, answers three questions asked by the senate. The majority say: First, that the legislature may not enact legislation limiting the right of railroad corporations to discharge their employes for cause; second, that the legislature may not give railroad employes as a class privileges not enjoyed by the rest of the community; third, that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. The opinion is signed by Justices Rugg, Braley, DeCourcy, Pierce and Carroll.

Justices Loring and Crosby transmitted a dissenting opinion. They say that they subscribe to the answer to the second question; that they prefer not to express an opinion upon a matter which it is not necessary to consider in order to answer fully the questions asked and therefore they express no opinion on the second question, although they do not intend to throw doubt on the answer; that they subscribe to the answer to the third question.

The senate ordered that the opinion be printed, and further consideration of the bill was postponed.

Registration of Physicians

When the bill for the registration of physicians came up, the senate, by a vote of 18 to 6, substituted a bill which contained a section authorizing herb doctors to practice; this provision is identical with a bill which the house has rejected.

The rest of the bill which the senate engrossed yesterday does not differ materially from the one reported by the committee on public health; it provides that no one can take the examination to be registered as a physician unless he has obtained the degree of M. D. from a school authorized to confer that degree.

The bill repealing the act which forbids the carrying of red flags in public processions was, without debate or division, passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring judges of superior, district and municipal courts to visit at least once a year the penal institutions to which they may sentence prisoners was rejected without debate.

Highway Bill Called a Grab

Senator Hays made a long and spirited argument against the bill authorizing the expenditure of $2,000,000 on highways in the five western counties of the state. He characterized the bill as a "grab"—a word which some of the senators at first took to be "graft"—and said it would cost Boston ultimately about $1,000,000 and the other large cities in proportion.

Protests Against Bill

Two circulars of protest against the Boston & Maine railroad reorganization bill have been sent to each member of the Massachusetts legislature by C. W. Crooker, attorney for William B. Lawrence, trustee for a large block of Boston & Maine stock.

House of Representatives

The original bill to prohibit the sale or delivery of milk produced under unsanitary conditions was passed to be engrossed, 149 to 68, by the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday, after a lengthy debate. In fact the bill was rejected on a standing vote by 64 to 76, but the action was reversed on a rollcall.

There was three-quarters of an hour delay in securing a quorum because many members were attending the private view of "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. Pfeiffer of Bedford moved to substitute for the so called "clean milk" bill one calling for state health board supervision, as originally provided, but allowing the farmer to resume business upon a certificate from the department of animal industry. Mr. Chapman of Ludlow opposed both bills and criticised the methods which he charged were employed to secure support.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly was surprised, he said, that the farmers should "cry baby." Their constant plea, he said had been for an opportunity for improvement before prosecution, and yet when a bill giving just that is presented, they oppose it. He said the Pfeiffer bll only put into the hands of the department of animal industry what was purely a health matter.

Coburn of Dracut

An amendment to the first bill was offered by Mr. Coburn of Dracut, providing 24 hours' notice before prosecution which was adopted on a voice vote. The Pfeiffer bill was rejected on a standing vote, 68 to 59 and a rollcall refused. The original "Clean Milk" bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Ruling on Teachers' Bill

Atty. Gen. Henry C. Attwill yesterday sent to the Massachusetts house of representatives his opinion on the bill providing that applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools shall not be asked as to their religious belief. He holds that the bill is unconstitutional at present, but that the amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney would provide authority to enact the bill, without violating the constitution.

The Lomasney amendment strikes out the above provision and substitutes one that such appointments shall not be affected by political or religious opinions or affiliations.

LICENSE TO FERNCROFT

DESPITE REVELATIONS MADE BY TOODLES RYAN, PRIVILEGE IS GRANTED TO SELL LIQUOR

BOSTON, May 4.—Despite the "revelations" made by "Toodles" Ryan in her breach of promise suit against Harry K. Mansfield, proprietor of the Ferncroft Inn, the selectmen of Middleton voted to renew the license of that resort for another year and it is now doing business at the same stand.

Three licenses were issued to the Inn. First class for $1500, fourth class for $100 and a club license for $500.

The affairs of the Ferncroft Inn were brought into the "Toodles" case when the woman alleged that Mansfield had cleaned up $325,000 in the past three years.

GETS FULL BACK PAY

BOSTON, May 4.—Police Captain Robert R. Perry, the Somerville veteran captain who was retired against his will last June on half pay and was recently reinstated by order of the court, went to the office of the city treasurer of Somerville yesterday and was given $1285.47, which represents full pay from June, 1914, to April 3 of this year. He had kept all his checks for half pay which were sent to him while he was retired, and these he returned when receiving the full pay checks.

THE SICKABED LADY

Fresh air being the best of all medicines, nurse says, you should learn how to take it. There is only one proper way, and that is by deep breathing. And deep breathing means breathing that way all of the time, not merely once or twice a day when you happen to think of it.

The ideal deep breath is the kind you get once in a while when you yawn, and should give you much the same sense of pleasure that such a breath does. No one can sleep in a hot, poorly ventilated room and be in condition to resist cold contagion. You are safer in a room with the mercury at thirty than in one with the mercury at eighty.

In a bedroom with but one window, raise the window, raise the dow, raise the window, slightly at the bottom and lower it correspondingly at the top. If there are more than one window, raise one and lower another at the top. When windows are on but one side of the room a transom should be opened or a door left ajar to help the circulation of air when the wind is not blowing directly on the windows.

Nurse quoted some very good rules for new mothers regarding the baby. She says, mother's milk is nature's food, and no other food is as good. The chances of your baby living are nine times greater on breast milk than cow's milk or any other kind of food. Even though you have but little milk at first do not get discouraged; be patient and try, try again.

There are very few mothers whose breasts will not give sufficient milk if they will but encourage the baby to suck. This keeps the milk flowing and increases its flow. Even though you feel weak, you can nurse your baby without danger to yourself. Only a few diseases forbid nursing.

If you are in doubt consult your doctor; his advice is better than that of your neighbors. Nurse your baby until the tenth month. If you really cannot nurse him as long, give him your milk as long as you can, for every drop he gets adds to his strength for his hard fight in life as no other food does or ever will. Drink plenty of water, but avoid tea, coffee and beer.

Nurse says much illness among children can be traced directly to the lack of personal supervision by the mistress of careless or unthinking servants. In no respect is this more clearly shown than in the care of milk in the kitchen.

The only absolute safeguard for the mother anxious about her little invalid or weakly child will be found to lie in the filtering of milk through clean absorbant cotton immediately upon its arrival and then heating it to a degree high enough to kill the lurking germs of contagion that may be found.

This is a subject that certainly demands the constant consideration of social reformers. It is not generally known that, as a rule, the ordinary marketable milk sold in many large cities is practically unfit for use as the food for an infant, when considered from the standpoint of the time that has elapsed between milking and serving.

Contagious diseases, says nurse, are caused by minute living germs. The object of disinfection is to destroy these. In order that as few articles as possible shall be exposed to infection by the disease germs, at the very beginning of the illness all unnecessary furniture and other unnecessary articles, should be removed from the sickroom.

The following are two best-known disinfectants: Carbolic acid—standard solution No. 1 is composed of six ounces of carbolic acid, dissolved in one gallon of hot water. This makes approximately a five per cent. solution of carbolic acid. Great care must be taken that the pure acid does not come in contact with the skin. When practicable, the carbolic solution should be used as hot as possible.

Corrosive sublimate (bichloride of mercury)—standard solution No. 2 is composed of sixty grains of pulverized corrosive sublimate and sixty grains of chloride of ammonia, dissolved in one gallon of water. This solution must be kept in glass, or wooden vessels (not in metal vessels). These solutions are very poisonous when taken by mouth, but are harmless when used externally.

For the outdoor season nurse thinks it important that her friends know of cures for bee stings and ivy poison. In case a piece of the sting of a bee, she says, remains in the wound, extract it with the fingers or a small pair of tweezers. The best application for the inflammation is diluted ammonia water, after which a cloth covered with sweet oil should be placed upon the part.

For ivy poison take either a seidlitz powder or rochelle salts, and eat only light, cooling things. Apply the following lotion locally.

Percipitated carbonated zinc, 4 drams; oxide of zinc, 2 drams; glycerine, 2 drams; rosewater, 8 ozs.

Defective teeth are a threat to health by reason of impairment of mastication and consequently of digestion. There is no difference of opinion concerning the value of good teeth properly used in the preparation of food for the digestive process.

While the vigorous stomach may attack particles of food of considerable size and resistance, the process of digestion is naturally slowed up in proportion to the magnitude and firmness of the unground particles. In addition to this, the admixture of healthy, saliva to the food during the process of mastication is of no little consequence, especially in the digestion of starch.

Thus defective teeth are not only injurious by reason of imperfect mastication, but likewise by reason of a failure to properly incorporate the saliva with the finely divided particles of food while it is still in the mouth.

A MIDNIGHT FIRE

Blaze Discovered in the Whitall Mfg. Plant in the Danger District

The prompt discovery of a fire in a brick building owned by the Whitall Manufacturing Co. and located at the corner of Rock and Willie streets, by Patrolman Deering, shortly before 12 o'clock last night, prevented what would have undoubtedly developed into a disastrous blaze. An alarm from box 17 summoned the fire department to the spot in quick time.

The fire started in a cuspidor on the second floor of the building and it quickly communicated to the walls and floor. The firemen extinguished the blaze by use of chemicals, thus preventing any loss by fire.

BOY STOPS A BURGLAR

BROKE UP AN ATTEMPTED DAYLIGHT LOOTING OF HIS HOME AND CAPTURED ONE MAN

BOSTON, May 4.—John Conley, 19-year-old son of Edward P. Conley, who lives in Suite 1, 12 Roswell street, Roxbury, broke up an attempted daylight looting of his home yesterday afternoon and chased one of the men who had entered the apartment until, with the assistance of a special policeman, he captured him.

The robbery was attempted by two men assisted apparently by a young woman confederate, and in spite of young Conley's interference they succeeded in making away with a gold watch belonging to the elder Conley, who is a machinist.

Young Conley was returning to his home about 2.15 yesterday afternoon when he saw two men entering the place. He hurried after them as fast as he could and found them inside. He immediately grappled with them, and a tussle followed.

Both men broke for the door. Conley hung onto one of the pair, who, when captured later, gave the name of James Dwyer and his address as 11 Dana street, Roxbury.

Dwyer dragged Conley outside, and got away from him. Conley saw him apparently pass something to a young woman who stood on the sidewalk and then run.

Conley chased Dwyer for several blocks until he met Special Policeman Kerrigan, in plain clothes, and between them they caught Dwyer and overpowered him. He was locked up on the charge of breaking and entering and the larceny of a watch.

FOR ASSAULTING WIFE

J. H. EHLER OF GLOUCESTER SENT TO STATE PRISON — LEWIS NOYES CONVICTED

SALEM, May 4.—In the superior court yesterday James H. Ehler of Gloucester pleaded guilty of assault on his wife, Mary Ehler, with intent to murder, and was sentenced by Judge Sanderson to state prison for not less than five nor more than seven years. Evidence was submitted to show that Mrs. Ehler was wounded with a knife in the breast and throat. Her condition is critical.

Lewis Noyes of Newbury, convicted of stealing 12 roosters belonging to Frank Perkins, was sentenced to the house of correction for six months.

Ismael Zilfo of Peabody pleaded guilty of carrying a dangerous weapon and was sentenced to the house of correction for two months.

Michael Apostok of Lynn, convicted of breaking and entering, was committed to the house of correction for six months.

Edward J. Murphy of Lynn, convicted of larceny of shoes, was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

WHAT ITALY DEMANDS

Said to Covet Chief Seaports of Dual Monarchy—Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 4.—As the price of peace, Italy is reported to be expecting from Austria-Hungary the surrender of the dual monarchy's entire seacoast. These expectations are said to amount to demands as regarding Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume.

In connection with showing the true significance of such demands, how great is the payment demanded by Italy for her continued neutrality, the National Geographic society, following its description of Triest, issued today a statement dealing with Fiume, the sole seaport of the Kingdom of Hungary. The statement reads:

"Austria-Hungary carries on its business with the outside world through its great ports, Triest and Fiume. The future of its over-seas commerce is largely bound up with the development of these cities; for Triest and Fiume are the New York and Boston of Austria-Hungary, or, better, they are the dual monarchy's Hamburg and Bremen. Fiume is the only outlet of the Hungarian kingdom to free water, and the Hungarians have spent millions of dollars in their endeavor to make it a model port. The great Austrian port and the Hungarian port are keen rivals, and, during the last few years, Fiume has grown somewhat at the cost of its northern neighbor.

"Owing to the deep interest which the Hungarians take in their coast city, the business of Fiume has grown rapidly. There are several harbors: one for coasting vessels, one for timber, and a general harbor, begun in 1872, and capable of accommodating about 200 large vessels. It is protected by a breakwater more than half a mile in length, and is flanked by a great, modern quay more than two miles long. The wharves and elevators are equipped in the most up-to-date fashion for the handling of a huge inflow and outflow of trade. The water-front, as the rest of the city, is lighted by electricity.

"In 1910, Fiume was entered by 17,880 vessels of 3,031,381 tons. In approximate figures, its business totaled $55,000,000, divided into an export business of $35,000,000 and an import trade of $20,000,000. Its trade is thus about one-half that of the port of San Francisco. Its exports consist chiefly of the agricultural products of Hungary, grain, flour, sugar, timber, horses, and some manufactured wares. The principal imports are coal, wine, rice, various minerals, fruit, jute, chemicals, oils and tobacco. There are several industrial establishments in the city, among them Whitehead's torpedo factory, a large paper-mill, a royal tobacco factory, flour mills, tanneries and rope factories. The fisheries of the city are important, Quarnero Gulf being filled with food fishes.

"Fiume is picturesquely situated at the head of the Gulf of Quarnero, at the southern base of the Istrian triangle, 40 miles southeast of Triest, or about 70 miles away by the railroad through the mountainous coastland. The city has more than 50,000 population. The Italians constitute the largest part of the populace, and, together with the Slavonians, comprise about 90 per cent. Geographically, Fiume belongs to Croatia. In 1870, however, it finally became a part of the Hungarian kingdom. The Italians, who favor the Hungarians as opposed to the Slavonians, are practically in control of the city's administration.

"Fiume occupies seven square miles of land carved out of Croatia. Around its waterfront, there is a narrow, level plain upon which the new town is built, with its convenient, modern ground-plan, fine business structures and generally substantial architecture. The old town climbs the hills back from the shore, straggling in a quaint disorder of irregular, narrow streets and haphazard houses. Views of the city and its surroundings from the deck of an approaching steamer are delightful, and there are a number of pleasant tours to be made in the neighborhood. Fiume has been Austrian since 1471."

TOTAL OF $2000

Big Contribution From Lowell for the Polish Relief Fund

Late yesterday afternoon Rev. A. Ogonowski, pastor of the Holy Trinity church in High street, announced that the money collected in this city on the tag day for Poland, held Saturday, reached the amount of $1158.64. Later, however, other contributions were received as follows: Mrs. Lucy E. Kyes of Westford, $5; N. Y. Z. of Lowell, $50, making a total of $1513.64. Fr. Ogonowski said the members of his parish volunteered to contribute the balance to make a round $2000. That is a splendid contribution for one city, collected in a few days.

PROTEST BY 500 GIRLS

NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DENY MORAL LAXITY—RUMOR UNJUST AND UNTRUE

NEWTON, May 4.—A resolution was adopted by 500 girl students in the Newton Classical high school yesterday afternoon protesting against the "injustice and untruthfulness" of the communication which appeared in a local paper last week to the effect that the morals of the students in the schools were rumored to be low.

Considerable indignation has arisen among the parents since the communication was published, and the school authorities are making every effort to determine whether such conditions do exist.

The resolution, which may also be adopted by the students of the Technical high school soon, follows:

"We are drawn together today by one accord by a great wave of just indignation at the injustice done to the Newton high school by the 'rumor' which was published in a local paper last week and copied by some of the Boston dailies to be widely circulated among the community. We are here today to show our confidence in the girls of our schools.

"We all appreciate our splendid teaching force and their interest in us and their careful supervision over us. We appreciate our school and the fine reputation which it bears among graduates and educators, and we are grateful for the advantages and protection of home life while attending school, because we know that the whole sentiment of the young women of this school is sound and wholesome and that their principles and ideals are high.

"Be it resolved, that we make formal protest against the injustice and the untruthfulness of this report."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

THE OUTDOOR BEAUTIFIER

It would seem hardly necessary to warn women about their daily walks after all the things we read in the daily papers and magazines regarding the beneficial effects on beauty and health derived from the daily walk.

In my acquaintance of friends I can count at least five women who would prefer to sit in their home all during the splendid spring days than bother to dress and romp out in the sunshine. It is very possible that this habit has become chronic and the effort of dressing is considered a task.

If you have ever been so indiscreet as to waste a glorious day indoors without sufficient reason, perhaps it has taught you a lesson, when you have tried the "getting out" idea, but if you have been so unfortunate as to have wasted all your sunny afternoons, then maybe it will take more strenuous methods to convince you of what you have lost.

Each day, when the weather is fine, don your clothes quickly and jaunt forth to enjoy your birthright, fresh air, and sunshine. If you have no children of your own, borrow your neighbor's and romp along with them. Watch their appreciation of the bright spring days in the park, and your own heart will respond in gladness for innocent mirth of children is infectious, it cannot be denied.

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Letter No. 4 From the Turner Centre Creamery

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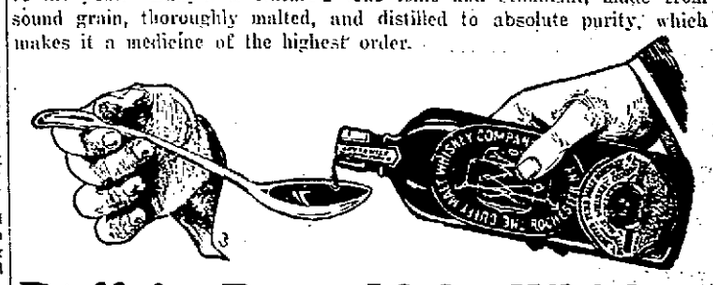

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with its prescribed advice of a tablespoonful in water before meals and on going to bed, gently stimulates the stomach to healthy action, improving the digestion and assimilation of food, and in this way enriches the blood and brings strength and vigor to the system. If you feel "all tired out," these days, after the trying months of winter have sapped your strength, you should "Get Duffy's and keep well," just as thousands of others do. It's a medicine for all mankind which will help to give you new health, new strength, new vitality and new life. Because Duffy's assists nature, you should try it today.

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

CAR SPRINKLER COMP'Y BREAKS ITS CONTRACT

The American Car Sprinkler Co. has seen fit to break its street watering contract with the city of Lowell rather than to accede to the demands of local 280, Street Railway Men's union.

The trouble hinged on the union's demand for a uniformed conductor on the rear end of the sprinklers. President Perry of the Sprinkler company was willing to have the arm controlling the sprinkler handled by a uniformed conductor, but refused to pay for a uniformed conductor on the rear end. President Perry told Commissioner Morse it would be a dangerous precedent to establish inasmuch as the company would have to follow suit in every city where the sprinklers are in operation.

There were two cars operating in Lowell and the men operating the arms were receiving $14 a week. Mr. Perry said he would be willing to put uniformed conductors in their places at $17.64 a week. The tail end boys were receiving $8 a week and Mr. Perry declared that his company could not afford to pay uniformed conductors $17.64 a week to take the place of $8 a week boys. The contract with the city was of seven months' duration and Mr. Perry figured that to grant all of the street railway men's demands would mean an added expense to the company of about $642, and the contract price, he said, would not warrant it. The employment of a uniformed conductor to operate the arm would make an additional expense of about $102.00, and this, Mr. Perry said, the company would be willing to stand for, but the difference for the seven months as represented by the substitution of uniformed conductors for the tail end boys would mean $500, and that, Mr. Perry said, the company would not stand for.

Buy Automobile Sprinklers

It was Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, who made the announcement at city hall today that the sprinkler company had broken its contract with the city. He called at the mayor's office to inform the mayor of what had happened and Mr. Morse said it was up to his department to sprinkle the streets regardless of the car sprinklers.

"I am not taking any sides in this controversy one way or the other," said Mr. Morse, "but I know that it is up to me to get busy with the horse-drawn carts. The contract for street watering has been sealed, signed and delivered and the city has had no part in any trouble that has taken place since the contract was signed. The sprinkler company knew that the trouble was brewing, but they went ahead and signed the contract. The contract is signed by the president of the company, Matthew J. Whittall, and the city has had no hand in the breaking of the contract. I am not familiar enough with the wording of the contract to say just what will happen the company for breaking the contract. The thing that most concerns me is to find another way of watering the streets. We have 14 watering carts and I guess they will do the trick.

"It is barely possible that we may purchase one or two automobile sprinklers. With the number of streets that are being oiled I feel that I could handle the street watering proposition with the 14 watering carts, but we must not lose sight of the fact that each horse-drawn cart is operated at an expense of $5 a day. If we could do the work cheaper with automobile sprinklers, I would be in favor of purchasing one or two of them. I would like to hear from the whole council on this matter and we can discuss it at the meeting tomorrow forenoon."

The Mayor's Version

Mayor Murphy said that so far as the expense of street watering is concerned the city has nothing to worry about. "We have made the contract with the American Car Sprinkler Co.," said the mayor, "and if that company has seen fit to break its contract for a cause over which the city had no control it is certainly no fault of ours. It is up to us to water the streets and if any extra expense attaches to the act of watering the streets over and above the price named in the contract with the car sprinkler company, the company will have to pay the extra cost. I don't see that there is any other way out of it. I have not considered the automobile sprinkler, but I think perhaps it might be a good investment."

THEIR WEDDING PUT OFF

MR. H. W. AIKINS AND MISS LEMIRE BOTH ILL ON DAY SET FOR THEIR MARRIAGE

The many friends of Miss Olivine Lemire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lemire, of 54 Branch street, and a popular young resident of the Highlands, will be grieved to learn that she is confined to her home by severe illness, on account of which, her marriage to Mr. Howard William Aikins of Concord, N. H., which was scheduled to take place at 5 o'clock this afternoon at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church in Branch street, has been indefinitely postponed.

A rather strange coincidence is that Miss Lemire's fiance, Mr. Aikins, is also confined to his home by illness. All arrangements for the marriage were completed a couple of weeks ago at which time the date of the event was set for today. Just at that time Miss Lemire was taken seriously ill and Mr. Aikins was notified of the illness. The young man came to this city a few days later and visited his fiancee. He returned to his home the same evening and the following day he was also taken ill. Miss Lemire recuperated and then she was informed of the illness of Mr. Aikins and in company with a member of her family she went to Concord, N. H. last week. When she returned she had a relapse and has since been confined to her bed. A day will be set for the marriage as soon as both recover.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Walter Adler of Tewksbury has as her guest, Mrs. James Tomlinson of Bingley, Yorkshire, England.

Mrs. T. J. Dimond of West Cornington, N. Y. is visiting her sister, Miss M. Hamilton, of 227 Powell street.

Capt. J. H. Kern of the U. S. Fisheries department was yesterday the guest of an old friend, F. T. Gleason, of 5 Ellis court.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Potter, of Gibson street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Hayes Potter, to Mr. Frederick James Osgood of this city. The marriage will probably take place in June.

David Caddell, formerly of this city and now of Montana, is visiting his mother in Lowell. Mr. Caddell and his brother, Alfred also formerly of this city are the owners of a 900-acre farm in Montana, 500 acres of which are sown to wheat this spring.

Miss Mabel Hill, formerly of the Normal school faculty staff and now of Dana hall, a preparatory school for Wellesley college, has been appointed a member of the teaching staff of the Stannard school of domestic science in Chesnut street, Boston.

LOST FRIENDS IN BELGIUM

Lowell Boy Heir to Estate, Thinks it Is Swept Away

Hector Sebilleaud of 43 Farmland road, is very anxious concerning his relatives in Belgium and the estate of his father, which was left him and which he was to take control of this year. The young man fears his relatives have lost their lives, while he believes the estate, which consisted of a string of stores in various cities of Belgium has been entirely wiped out.

Sebilleaud's father was a Belgian, while his mother, who is a resident of this city, is of Canadian birth. The boy was born in this city but was brought up in Belgium, where his father was largely interested in a large concern, which conducted a number of department stores in several large cities of Belgium. When the father died several years ago he left his estate to his only son, Hector, who was to take charge of the business as soon as he became of age. The young man was 21 years of age last June and he had made up his mind to go to Belgium, dispose of his interests in the business and return to Lowell.

However, the war broke out and the young man had to give up all plans of going abroad. He wrote several letters to his guardian, Emile Lanoy at Nivelle, Belgium, but has received no reply. Later he wrote letters addressed to an uncle, Armand Lanoy at Brussels, Belgium and to an aunt, Mrs. Adele Sebilleaud also at Brussels, but his letters remained unanswered.

A few weeks ago Mr. Sebilleaud wrote to Bernard Mallet, registrar general of the general register for war refugees at London, Eng., asking information concerning the whereabouts of his guardian and relatives, for he believed they had made their escape to England, but a reply which was received a few days ago announced that the names asked for could not be found on the register. Similar replies were received from the American consul at Holland, to whom Mr. Sebilleaud had written concerning his aunt and uncles. Mr. Sebilleaud now believes his relatives were killed and he entertains very little hope of recovering the estate left him by his deceased father. In conversation with the writer he said he will go to Belgium as soon as hostilities cease in Europe and ascertain if he has lost all he possessed there.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FISK—Died May 2 in this city, Mrs. Emma E. Fisk, at her home, 40 Gates street. Funeral services will be held at 40 Gates street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

DONOHOE—The funeral of Patrick J. Donohoe will take place Tuesday afternoon (May 4th) at 2.30 o'clock from the home of his brother, Charles F. Donohoe, 23 Butler avenue. Funeral services at St. Peter's church at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Geo. B. McKenna in charge.

CITY HALL NOTES

The regular meeting of the municipal council will be held tomorrow forenoon at 11 o'clock and will be preceded by an industrial accident board hearing at 10.30 o'clock. The industrial accident board will hold another hearing on Friday forenoon at 10.30 o'clock.

The Lowell Historical society will meet at city hall on May 12, at 7.30 p. m.

The street department is testing samples of sand brought in from North Chelmsford by Percy Parker and William Drapeau. Both men have sand banks in North Chelmsford and Commissioner Carmichael stated today that he thought the sand would probably fill the bill. The commissioner wants 6000 tons of mineral sand to be used in connection with the filtration plant at the boulevard. He thought it would be necessary to go to Nashua, N. H., to get the right kind of sand and he says he will be "tickled to death" if the right kind of sand can be procured nearer home.

Francis Connor, inspector of buildings, was passing around the cigars this forenoon. The cause of Frank's unusual generosity could be found at home where a bouncing baby boy arrived early today.

FEES FOR SIGNS

Each and every member of the city council believes in signs of some description, but when it comes to advertising signs they are all at sea. They have been reading the new act relative to signs, awnings and other projections in public ways, and they will discuss the proposition at their meeting tomorrow.

They are all in favor of assessing "ad" signs, but they are not in favor of taxing the fellow who has his name on his store awning. Commissioner Putnam says the men who derive revenue from a sign should be made to pay a tax, and he does not think that the price named in the new act, $1 for each permit, is sufficient. The average number of sign permits in a year is 250 and would mean only $250 a year. Commissioner Putnam inclines to the belief that the assessors should include the signs in their valuations and assess them accordingly. The new act which will become operative in August, reads as follows:

Section 1—The municipal officer, board, commission or other municipal authority having charge of the laying out of public ways in cities and towns, is hereby authorized to grant permits and fix the fees therefor, not exceeding $1 for any one permit, for the placing and maintaining of signs, advertising devices, clocks, marquees, permanent awnings and other like structures projecting into, or placed on or over the public highways, and to make rules and regulations relating thereto, and to prescribe the penalties for a breach of any such rules and regulations, not exceeding $5 for each day during which any sign, advertising device, clock, marquee, permanent awning or other structure is placed or maintained contrary to the rules and regulations so made, after five days' notice to remove the same has been given by the said officer of the city or town.

Section 2—All signs, advertising devices, clocks, marquees, permanent awnings and other like structures for which permits shall be granted after the passage of this act shall be constructed, and, when attached to a building, shall be connected therewith in accordance with the requirements of the inspector of buildings, building commissioner or other officer, board or commission having like authority in the city or town.

Section 3—This act shall not apply to signs or other structures projecting into or over the highway a distance of less than six inches, nor to poles, wires, conduits, and appurtenances of steam railroad, street railway, telegraph and telephone, water, gas, electric light, heat and power companies.

Section 4—Chapters 632 and 680 of the acts of the year 1913 and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not affect any permit already granted under the provisions of such acts.

Section 5—This act shall take effect three months after its passage. (Approved April 19, 1915.)

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER

MAN ARRESTED BY LIEUT. MAHER REFUSES TO GIVE AN ACCOUNT OF HIMSELF

In the arrest this forenoon by Lieut. Martin Maher of a man who gave his name as John Smith and address as South Boston, the authorities at the police station believe they have a character who is considered suspicious on account of his story and keen way of avoiding answering questions asked him at the station.

Smith was approached by Lieut. Maher while carrying two suspicious looking bundles under his arm along Central street. He was questioned and said that he purchased the parcels, which contained two pairs of shoes, from friends on Moody street for three dollars. Lieut. Maher was not satisfied with the explanation offered by the suspect and took him to the police station, where he was put through the third degree by Supt. Welch.

In the bundle were found a pair of gentleman's shoes numbered 2588 and a pair of child's shoes known as the Walton shoe. Smith said he came to Lowell Saturday night with $15 and met several friends in a barroom on Moody street. He drank with them for a while, he said, and finally agreed to pay three dollars for the two pairs of shoes. Since Saturday night, he told the police, he had stopped at a "50 cent" lodging house. The superintendent attempted to have the man under suspicion go out with an inspector and show him the house where he spent the past two nights, but the defendant was not agreeable to this and said he was sure he could not find it, being a stranger in Lowell.

He then informed the police chief that he earned the $15 found on him by working for a painter named Inglestein in Boston. He also said that he resided in South Boston, but refused to give the name of any person with whom he was acquainted. On a card issued last month at the State hospital and found in the man's pocket was written "Patrick Dillon," no address. A skeleton key was also taken from the man's clothes and other small articles.

If no information relative to the owner of the shoes can be obtained, Smith, or Dillon, will be arraigned in court tomorrow charged with the larceny of two pairs of shoes from an unknown person.

DEATHS

SLATTERY—Mrs. Alice V. (Muller) Slattery, a well known and devout attendant of St. Michael's church, died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband William and one daughter, Mary; also her mother, Mrs. Mary Muller, four sisters, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Jean Foyes, Mrs. Peter Birdfall, and Mrs. Mary Mullin, and one brother, James Mullin. Her remains were removed to her late home, No. 21 Stanley street.

FUNERALS

BEARDON—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Reardon took place this morning from her home, 573 Broadway, at 8 o'clock and was largely attended, including the following from out of town: Mr. and Mrs. John Reardon, Mrs. Burbank, Jeremiah Reardon, John Reardon, Jr., James Reardon of Fitchburg, Mass., Timothy Reardon of Norwood, Miss Daniel Shea, Teresa Shea, Tessie Murphy, Frank Murphy of Worcester, and Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Hayden, Cornelius Reardon, Jeremiah Reardon of Providence, R. I. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The bearers were Messrs. Cornelius Reardon, James Reardon, John Reardon, Timothy Reardon, Jeremiah Reardon and Frank Murphy. Among the many floral offerings were: Pillow, "Wife," from the husband; cross on base, "Mother," from the children; wreath, "Goodby, Auntie," Mrs. Catherine Leonard, Miss Catherine Sheridan, Miss Mary S. Sheridan, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. John J. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharf, Dowling family, Miss Nora Shea, Miss Rita Rock, Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney of Nashua, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, Mrs. Shugrue of Fitchburg, McCarthy Bros., Mr. Martin and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. M. Broadbent, Mrs. Burbank, M. T. Doherty, Miss Rita Bosca, Riley family, and spiritual bouquets from Miss L. LaChance, Mrs. Maurice O'Connor and the Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H. The burial was in the family lot in St. Bernard's cemetery, Fitchburg, Mass., where committal prayers were read. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

McDOUGAL—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary McDougal took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Patrick Crayton. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: A pillow inscribed "Mary," from Mrs. Margaret Green and Madeline, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Webb, Mrs. David Barry of Marblehead, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hoar and family, Miss Lillian Green, Mrs. Broderick of Marblehead and Miss Annie Mooney. The bearers were Patrick J. Hoar, Martin Hoar, William Baker, and John Morrissey. At the grave Rev. Father Crayton read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ALLIETTE—The funeral of Mrs. Delphis Allette took place this morning from her home, 81 Ford street. Solemn high mass was sung at St. Jean Baptiste church at nine o'clock by Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Antoine Amyot, O. M. I., and Rev. Charles Denizot, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The bearers were Alfred Matte, Emile Cossette, John Pinault, William Allette, William Amyot and Godeon Matte. The Third Order of St. Francis was represented by Mesdames Joseph St. George, Alfred Matte, T. Lafreniere and F. Theriault. St. Anne's sodality was represented by Mesdames I. Gagnon, E. Cossette, A. Savard and J. Paquin. Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Gary Lucy, Mr. Lafrance, Mrs. Bourassa and Mrs. Jacques, all of Lawrence. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

U. S. WORSTED COMPANY

IT WINS PRAISE OF BRITISH WAR OFFICE FOR DUPLICATION OF FABRICS FOR THE ARMY

The United States Worsted company has received a splendid testimonial from the British war office for the despatch and perfect workmanship with which the company filled an order for fabric for army uniforms. Special praise is given for the ingenuity shown in duplicating jacket serge from samples submitted by the war office. In this case the company has shown how closely it can imitate or reproduce any worsted fabric from a sample.

AS IT SHOULD BE

An act relative to the support of destitute parents, which becomes operative the 12th day of this month, having been signed by the governor April 12, is one of the most important as well as one of the most humane acts passed by the legislature for many moons.

The act provides that any person above the age of 21 years, who, being possessed of sufficient means, unreasonably neglects or refuses to provide for the support and maintenance of his parent, whether father or mother, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $200, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Just what effect the act will have as applied locally remains to be seen. Supt. Conley of the Chelmsford Street hospital allows that it will affect that institution, inasmuch as there are people there who have children who are able to support them. He says, however, that the number of such cases is limited.

Text of the Act

The act reads as follows:

Section 1. Any person, above the age of 21 years, who, being possessed of sufficient means, unreasonably neglects or refuses to provide for the support and maintenance of his parent, whether father or mother, residing in this commonwealth, when such parent through misfortune and without fault of his own is destitute of means of sustenance and unable by reason of old age, infirmity or illness to support and maintain himself or herself, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $200 or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment. No such neglect or refusal shall be deemed unreasonable as to a child who shall not during his or her minority have been reasonably supported by such parent, if the parent was charged with duty so to do, nor as to any child who, being one of two or more children, has made proper and reasonable contribution toward the support of such destitute parent.

Section 2. Before the trial, with the consent of the defendant, or at the trial, on entry of a plea of guilty or after conviction, the court may, in its discretion, make such orders and require such conditions for the benefit of such destitute parent as are provided for in the case of a wife or a minor child by Chapter 456, of the acts of the year 1911, and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, and the practice thereby established shall, so far as it is applicable, apply to proceedings under this act.

Section 3. Complaints under the provisions of this act may be made by any such parent, by any child of such a parent, by the overseers of the poor of the city or town in which the parent has a settlement or by any other public relief officer. Proceedings under this act may be begun in the municipal, district or police court having jurisdiction of the place where the defendant lives, and if there be no such court, then in any municipal, district or police court in the county; or in the municipal, district or police court having jurisdiction over the place where the parent lives; and if there be no such court, then in any municipal, district or police court in the county. If no court has jurisdiction as aforesaid, proceedings may begun before a trial justice in the county where the defendant or the parent lives.

This act was approved April 12, 1915.

THE ROYAL THEATRE

Again the magical name of George Kleine is brought to Lowell. This time the attraction bearing this world famous name is his eight part, three-act drama of the early Roman days, "Spartacus," or "The Revolt of the Roman Gladiators," another big spectacular drama, showing battles, arenas with blood-thirsty lions rushing on unsuspecting martyrs. What stirring days they were,—and the motion picture brings them before you, as you calmly sit in a comfortable chair, after parting with a small sum for admission. Surely the wonders of the twentieth century will never cease. To try to describe the entire plot of "Spartacus" and give it justice, it would take at least a column of newspaper space, so we will not attempt to do so. However, we can say that it is another "Cabiria," a play of gigantic scenery, wonderfully realistic fighting scenes, with thousands of actors engaged, and a plot that keeps the interest keyed up from start to finish. The big metropolitan papers have said of this play "Old Rome lives again in "Spartacus."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BARNES REFUSED TO AID BOSS OF TAMMANY HALL

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 3.—That William Barnes told him Charles F. Murphy of Tammany hall had asked for help in 1911 to defeat a direct primaries bill in the state legislature and that the then chairman of the republican state committee had answered he would refuse the aid asked and had remarked that he would not pull the Tammany leader's "chestnuts from the fire," was the sworn testimony given in the supreme court here today by Walter T. Arndt, formerly Albany correspondent of a New York newspaper.

Mr. Arndt was one of several witnesses who today were placed upon the stand by the defense in the libel suit of William Barnes, Jr., against Theodore Roosevelt. Among them was Edward T. Platt, son of the late Thomas C. Platt, former United States senator, and described in previous testimony as "the easy boss." Mr. Platt produced several bundles of letters taken from the files kept by his father from 1899 to 1909.

George B. Dickinson of Washington, D. C., another former correspondent of a New York newspaper in Albany, testified regarding a conversation he had with Mr. Barnes in which the subject of Governor Hughes and race track legislation was freely discussed.

BARNES CALLED

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 3.—William Barnes was called as a witness by counsel for Col. Roosevelt late today to testify in regard to books of the Albany Journal Co., which an employe of the company swore were in his possession.

The court, however, interfered and Mr. Barnes was instructed to produce the books in the morning.

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Week of May 10th

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TUESDAY, MAY 11—

A Recital of Songs by Albert Edmund Brown, assisted by the Philharmonic Trio of Boston.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12—

Ethel Frank, Soprano, and Mme. Contiberenguer, Harpist, in joint recital.

Lecture by Dr. Thos. F. Harrington, director of school hygiene, Boston.

THURSDAY, MAY 13—

Exhibition of the Physical Training Department of the Normal School.

FRIDAY, MAY 14—

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FAST GAME FOR OPENER

Worcester Defeated Lowell 5-4 in 13 Innings—Sensational Contest at Spalding Park

Lowell went down to defeat yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in the opening game of the 1915 season in this city in one of the hardest fought diamond contests seen here in years, when Pitcher Lohman uncorked a wild heave in the 13th session, thus allowing Gardella two extra bases and a position at third base from which he subsequently scored on a sacrifice fly. The final score was 5—4.

Cold weather and poor playing conditions, notwithstanding, both teams played wonderful baseball. Time and again one club scored only to have the tallies evened up by the other. There was no inning which netted more than a single run.

Before the contest the two clubs marched to the flagpole in centre field and hoisted Old Glory. Mayor Murphy then mounted the rubber and, after a lengthy windup, pitched the first ball of the game.

Lohman and Justin were the pitchers chosen to work yesterday. Johnson replaced Justin in the 12th when signs of weakness were apparent.

Cuke Barrows lifted the ball high and far in the last half of the 10th with two out and two strikes called upon him. The sphere has reached the earth again, we think, but just where isn't certain. The last seen of the particular horsehide that the Lowell manager caressed with his wand was a tiny speck journeying skyward over the rightfield fence. Many of the fans had begun to leave the stands when Barrows came through with his long homer which again tied up the score.

The game in detail follows:

First Inning

Worcester was retired in the first inning. Keegan lifted a high fly which Greenhalge took after jogging half across the diamond. It was Lohman's ball but Snubber showed good judgment in taking it after he had started to make the play. McCleskey made a nice stop and accurate peg of Cooney's hard grounder near second base. Mac also gobbled up Gardella's grounder but this chance was easier. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Swayne waited out Justin's rather erratic delivery and drew a pass after getting in a hole for two strikes. McMahon then promptly sacrificed Swayne to second and the shivering fans yelled to Barrows to bring in a run. The local manager drove out a line drive to Keegan in left, Swayne remaining at second. Stimpson lined a hard grounder through Gardella into left field and Swayne scored. Keegan was slow in returning the ball. Potteiger pulled down Meyer's long fly to centre after a hard run. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1; Worcester, 0.

Second Inning

Potteiger jollied Lohman into free transportation. Gardella hit to Lohman and went out at first by a narrow margin. Potteiger went to second and old Jess ordered his men to bring in a run. Carroll doubled to the right field fence and Potteiger ambled home, tieing the score. Lohman took Young's smash to the box and threw him out at first. Carroll was held at second. Donahue closed the inning with a strikeout, the first in the game. One run, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit to Cabrera and the Cuban made a put-out unassisted. The Worcester first baseman made a beautiful catch of Cooney's wild heave when Dee grounded to short and Dee was out. Greenhalge struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1, Worcester, 1.

Third Inning

Justin sent a long fly to centre which Barrows took care of. "Cuke" did a sprint act, however, before pulling it down. Keegan smote the sphere on a line into centre for a single. Stimpson could not quite reach Cooney's high fly which dropped fair by a few feet. Keegan went to second and Cooney was safe on first. Gardella lifted a short fly to right which Swayne was waiting for. Greenhalge and Dee pulled off a beautiful play when Snubber shot the ball to second before Keegan could get back to the bag after taking a long lead. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Lohman's fly was a cinch for Potteiger in short centre. Swayne worked another bunce game on Gustin and strolled to first. McMahon smashed a long fly to centre which Potteiger gathered in after a long run. Barrows hit under one which Carroll took in front of the plate. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Worcester 1.

Fourth Inning

Potteiger took a healthy swing at Lohman's first offering but the best that he could do was to send up a fly to McCleskey. Dee made a swell stop and peg when Cabrera hit down in his direction. The throw beat the runner by a stride. Barrows continued his good work by making a difficult catch of Carroll's long fly to left centre. The Lowell team got a big hand on its return to the bench. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Stimpson caught one on the nose at the opening of Lowell's half of the fourth and the ball rolled into deep left field between Potteiger and Keegan. Stimmy worked his legs to good advantage and was at third base when the ball came back to the diamond. Meyers drove a liner to centre, bringing Stimpson home. Only the fastest of fielding by Potteiger held Meyers at first. McCleskey sacrificed Meyers to second with a slow roller to Gardella. Gardella then made a nice catch of Dee's foul fly within a few feet of the bleachers. Carroll grabbed Greenhalge's foul fly. One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell, 2; Worcester, 1.

Fifth Inning

Dee and Meyers put skids under Young on his grounder to short. It was a close play and a neat one. Donahue struck out for the second time, Lohman serving him nothing but soft strikes. Lohman threw out Justin on his weak grounder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Lohman was easy for Cooney and Cabrera. Swayne walked to first for the third time. Billy McMahon made several enemies when he sent a foul tip into the yet unprotected stand. There was some lively scrambling about for a few seconds. McMahon hit into a double play with a sharp grounder to the Worcester pitcher. Justin threw the ball to second ahead of Swayne and McMahon died at first on a close decision. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Sixth Inning

Keegan attempted to slip one over on the Lowell infield and laid down a bunt toward third base. McMahon was waiting for it, however, and shot the ball to Meyers ahead of the runner. Billy was again called into play on Cooney's grounder and again a put-out resulted. Gardella drove the ball over left field fence which went foul by a very few feet. If the wind had not changed its course the score would have been a tie. Gardella's next attempt was a fly which dropped into Swayne's glove for the third out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

About this time the fans were trying to borrow gloves and buy overcoats. An enthusiasm for anything but a warmer climate was at a premium. Barrows spanked one to centre-field for a single. Stimpson sacrificed his manager to the next station. Meyers lifted to Young in short-left, near the foul line. McCleskey's high fly was accepted by Keegan. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Seventh Inning

Potteiger took a toe-hold and leaned on Lohman's first offering for a triple over Stimpson's head. The former Lowell outfielder did some tall hustling around the bases. Cabrera sliced the atmosphere three times in a feeble attempt to bring in another Worcester run. Carroll laid down a beautiful bunt which squeezed in Potteiger with another run, tying the score. Carroll was out at first. McMahon threw out Young on the latter's grounder to third. One run, one hit, no errors.

Dee sent smashing single into left. The ball went by Gardella 60 miles a minute, or thereabouts. Greenhalge attempted to sacrifice Shorty along a sack, but popped out to Gardella. Lohman singled to left, sending Dee to second. The crowd broke into enthusiastic entreaties for another run. Swayne sent up a fly to Potteiger. Potty did not have to move for it. McMahon went out on a grounder to the Worcester pitcher and the score was still a tie. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Eighth Inning

Dee and Meyers worked smoothly to the extinction of Donahue. Lohman threw out Justin. McCleskey knocked down Keegan's grounder and pegged the left fielder out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Cooney was in front of Barrows' grounder and the Lowell manager died at first. Stimpson lifted to Young and was an easy out. Meyers' grounder along the first base line was taken by Cabrera. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Ninth Inning

Cooney drove a hard grounder at McMahon and Billy pushed it to first for the put-out. Dee took Gardella's grounder and threw to first, Meyers taking the ball on the first hop for the put-out. Potteiger slammed a single over second into centre. Cabrera flied to Barrows in short centre. No runs, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit a slashing grounder to the left of Young. The latter stopped the ball, but could not recover the ball in time to get Mac. Dee popped a Texas leaguer into left, McCleskey going to second.

McCleskey went out trying to steal third. Dee took second on the play.

Greenhalge struck out.

Lohman singled to centre. Dee tried to score and was thrown out at the plate, Potteiger to Carroll. No runs, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Tenth Inning

Carroll walked. Young reached first when Dee failed to stop his grounder. Carroll going to second. It was the first error of the game. Donahue attempted to sacrifice but Carroll was forced at third.

Justin singled to centre, scoring Young. Donahue was caught between second and third. Keegan singled to right centre, sending Justin to second. Cooney forced Keegan at second with a grounder to Dee. One run, two hits, one error.

Swayne flied to Keegan.

McMahon was thrown out, Carroll to Cabrera.

Barrows tied the score with a home run over the right field fence. The crowd rushed onto the field and the game was held up while Umpire Bransfield sent them back to the bleachers. It was one of the longest hits ever seen at Spalding park.

Stimpson flied to Donahue. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Eleventh Inning

Gardella groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. Potteiger flied to Barrows. Cabrera flied to McMahon. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Meyers flied to Donahue. Young threw out McCleskey at first.

Gardella made a one-hand catch of Dee's liner. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Twelfth Inning

Carroll struck out. Young singled.

Donahue dropped a Texas leaguer into right, Young going to second. Justin flied to Barrows.

Keegan singled to left, scoring Young and sending Donahue to third.

Cooney groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. One run, two hits, one error.

Greenhalge doubled to left centre.

Lohman doubled to left centre, scoring Greenhalge.

Swayne hunted safely, Lohman going to third.

McMahon foul-flied to Carroll.

Justin was taken out and Johnson went in for Worcester.

Barrows rolled to Johnson, Swayne going to second.

Stimpson groundered to Cabrera. One run, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 4, Worcester 4.

Thirteenth Inning

Gardella singled.

Gardella went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Potteiger's sacrifice fly.

Cabrera groundered out, McMahon to Meyers.

McMahon threw out Carroll. One run, one hit, no errors.

Meyers flied out to Cooney.

Gardella threw out McCleskey.

Cooney threw out Dee.

The score:

WORCESTER

	ab	r	hb	po	a	e
Keegan lf	6	0	3	3	0	0
Cooney 2b	6	0	1	5	4	0
Gardella 3b	6	1	1	4	2	0
Potteiger cf	4	2	2	4	1	0
Cabrera 1b	6	0	0	14	2	0
Carroll c	5	0	1	6	1	0
Young ss	5	2	1	1	2	0
Donahue rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Justin p	5	0	1	0	3	0
Johnson p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	48	5	10	39	16	0

LOWELL

	ab	r	hb	po	a	e
Swayne rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McMahon 3b	5	0	0	3	5	3
Barrows cf	6	1	2	6	1	0
Stimpson lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meyers 1b	6	0	1	21	0	0
McCleskey 2b	5	0	1	2	2	1
Dee ss	5	0	2	1	5	1
Greenhalge c	5	1	1	4	3	0
Lohman p	5	0	3	0	6	0
Totals	46	4	13	39	25	2

Worcester	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1		—5
Lowell	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0		—4

Two-base hits: Carroll, Greenhalge, Lohman. Three base hits: Stimpson, Potteiger. Home run: Barrows. Stolen base: Dee. Sacrifice hits: McMahon, McCleskey, Stimpson, Potteiger. Double plays: Justin, Cooney and Cabrera; by Lowell 9. First base on errors: By Worcester 1. Bases on balls: Off Justin 3; off Lohman 2. Hits: Off Justin 13 in 12 1-3 innings. Struck out: By Justin 2; by Lohman 3. Wild pitch: Lohman. Umpire: Bransfield. Time: 3.01.

RANGE OF BIG GUNS

INVENTOR OF MELINITE SAYS THERE IS NO LIMIT, IN DISCUSSING BOMBARDMENT

PARIS, May 4.—"Theoretically there is no limit to the range of big guns," said Henry Turpin, the inventor of melinite, to a representative of the Petit Parisien in discussing the bombardment of Dunkirk. "When I was attached to the technical artillery section of the ministry of war General Andre, then minister, asked me to make special experiments to see if it was possible to produce a projectile with a range equivalent to the distance from Calais to Dover. My first experiments and calculations showed it was possible to attain a much greater range than that."

It was while connected with the ministry of war that M. Turpin invented the aerial torpedo which the Germans appear to be using on both fronts and the inventor is unable to understand how they learned the secret.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS

LONDON, May 4.—A British official announcement, issued today, says Germany is arranging through the American ambassador to accord exactly similar treatment to the British officers who have been especially confined in Germany as that given by Great Britain to German submarine prisoners.

When Great Britain captured the crews of certain German submarines these prisoners were not sent to the regular camps but were allotted to special barracks. Hearing of this the German authorities took a number of British officers prisoners in their hands and in retaliation subjected them to treatment as harsh as that visited by the British on the submarine prisoners.

Investigations were made through the American embassies in both Berlin and London with the result that the treatment of both these sets of prisoners was found not to be as harsh as had been imagined.

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ST. MICHAEL'S MISSION

The Edifice Crowded at Second Night of Men's Mission—Sermon on Justice by Fr. Murray

St. Michael's church in Centralville was crowded last evening when the second service of the mission for the men of the parish was opened. Every seat in the big auditorium was filled and extra seats were placed in the sanctuary and outside the altar railing to accommodate those who could not find seats in the body of the church. The choir loft was also comfortably filled.

Rev. Fr Murray, O. P., gave the instructions and preached the sermon. In opening he told of the good work already started by the men of the parish and urged all to persevere to the end, that the mission might prove an unprecedented success. In order to do this, he said, it was necessary that every man in the parish attend the services in the evening throughout the week, and also the masses in the morning.

In his sermon, Fr. Murray took for his text a passage from the sixth chapter of St. Matthew as follows: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all other things shall be added unto you.

The reverend preacher then told of the extraordinary kindness and mercy of God, and of the reward He has promised those who remain faithful. The kingdom of heaven, he said, means peace in this world and everlasting happiness in the next. If we but remain true to the teachings of the church and show our sense of justice to Him who created the world out of nothingness. In order to realize this fully, said Fr. Murray, every man has to show to the world his sense of justice, which in other words is a square deal. Give your neighbor his just due, said Fr. Murray, by setting the example of leading a good life, and all promised things will follow. Fr. Murray then told of the man who thinks he is deeply imbued with the spirit of a square deal towards his neighbor, in that he pays all monetary debts, and perhaps returns the kindnesses shown by his neighbor. But all this, said Fr. Murray, is not satisfying in the eyes of God. God wants and expects, said Fr. Murray, that every man show his spirit of justice and duty towards his neighbor by example, by attending mass regularly on Sundays and holy days, by frequenting the sacraments, and by avoiding sin in all its forms.

Man never thinks, said the preacher, of giving a square deal to God who has done so much for him and he never thinks of paying to God what is His due.

Fr. Murray told of the justice that should be shown to the Holy Ghost, for enlightening the soul of man and of the spirit of justice that should be shown to the church, which has fought sin and vice for centuries. This attribute very rarely shows up in man, said Fr. Murray, although he goes out and openly boasts of his love of a square deal.

He also told of the enemies of the church and religion and of their antagonism to both because of the activity shown by each in combatting the evils of the world. I want to know, said Fr. Murray, if every man in this vast congregation has enough sense of justice not to play into the hands of these enemies of the church to set a good example to them by leading good and wholesome lives.

Fr. Murray told of the sense of justice due the pastor of the church and his assistants, saying that the pastor wants not sufficient money to run his parish but he does want the salvation of the souls of his parishioners. By his hard and untiring work to this end, said Fr. Murray, the pastor is entitled to a square deal, and the men of his parish should give him his due. He also told of the debt owed to the self-sacrificing wife and mother.

In closing Fr. Murray urged all to show a spirit of justice towards the world and to God by leading good lives. By doing this he said, they would be deriving the real joys of life, and their reward would be amply reaped in the life to come.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, with Rev. Francis Mullin as celebrant. During the service the sanctuary choir under the direction of Choirmaster James A. Murphy, rendered "Praise to the Holiest," "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo." Preceding the sermon, Fr. Lawler recited the rosary, the congregation responding. The services ended with the singing of the hymn "Holy God" by the congregation.

ASH BARREL FIRE

A telephone alarm at about 10 o'clock this forenoon was for a fire in an ash barrel in the rear of a house on Ames place, off School street. No damage.

SEALERS ICE BOUND

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 4.—Three steamers of the sealing fleet returned from the Gulf of St. Lawrence yesterday with a total of 3400 pelts, one of the smallest catches known in the industry. The Diana had 400 pelts, the Viking 500, and the Terranova 2500. The sealers Eagle and Bloodhound are ice bound at Green Pond, Bonavista Bay on the east coast. Their return will end the season, which has been the poorest in the annals of the colony.

REWARDED FOR HEROISM

BOSTON, May 4.—As a reward for holding back a crowd of aliens who attacked Dr. H. B. C. Reimer at the immigration station last week Giovanni Magni, who had been detained as undesirable, was given his freedom yesterday. He was under deportation orders but Secretary of Labor Wilson reversed his decision because of Magni's heroism.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Continued

names on the waiting list. Brief reports were made by Mrs. Grace C. Perham, chairman of the house committee; Mrs. W. G. Eaton, chairman of visitors' tickets; who reported that 50 waiting list tickets have been sold during the year and Miss M. Maude Lancaster, who gave a condensed account of the year's program.

The following delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Marlon, June 24 and 25, were chosen by nominations from the floor; Mrs. C. W. Russell, Miss Grace Ward, Mrs. S. H. Thompson, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Miss Bessie B. Hadley, Mrs. Willis G. Eaton, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney and Miss Ella M. Wells.

Mrs. Sidney R. Fleet read the report of the playground committee, the work of which will soon be taken over by the park commission. Credit for the present success of the playgrounds was given largely to the first chairman, Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy. Mention was made also of the valuable cooperation of the college club and the park commission.

A vote of thanks was extended to many who have extended special favors to the club, including Mr. Stevens, the janitor, and a vote of appreciation was extended to the retiring officers. Mrs. Proctor, the new president, was escorted to the platform by Miss Ward and spoke briefly, expressing her thanks for the honor conferred and asking for the cooperation of the members in keeping up the high standard of the club. A reception to the retiring officers was held in Middlesex hall, and refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

Miss Ward's Report

The annual report, read by the retiring president, Miss Grace Ward, was quite interesting. It had the following parts:

Once a year it seems to be incumbent upon us to ignore that very familiar and excellent exhortation to "Look out and not in: look forward and not back," and to adopt quite the contrary rule in reviewing the work of the year.

This year will be memorable in history as the year of "the war." While we have tried to do our part in helping to alleviate the unspeakable suffering across the seas, we have made an effort not to allow the tragedies of the war to enter too much into our club program, for we have felt that this year, if ever, we needed diversion and good cheer. If the year has been a success and brought to you both pleasure and profit, we are glad. To no one person is the credit due, for the machinery of a club like ours requires many heads and many hands, but all working in harmony can achieve great results.

The report of the chairman of the playground committee shows how much the club is indebted to her and her able assistants for their excellent, economical and efficient management of their part of the playground work. It is to be hoped that the city fathers will become more impressed with the importance of the recreational work among the children, and that in due time Lowell will attain to the front rank in living up to its opportunities in this particular.

Policewomen

The civics department, besides assisting the education department in the moving picture investigation, has been active along several different lines, having given much time and thought to the subject of tuberculosis. Success has crowned their efforts, at least, to the extent of providing a special tuberculosis district nurse, through the Lowell Guild. They have also been studying the subject of policewomen or police matrons, whose duty it is to supervise the public dance halls and to see that the young women reach home safely at night. In cooperation with the board of trade they have assisted in carrying on a city beautiful and clean-up campaign. The horticultural exhibit held in Middlesex hall in connection with this was the first of its kind in Lowell, a remarkable display and a credit to the city.

It is gratifying to hear so many words of commendation for the year's program, and yet it is no surprise to hear that others (we hope not many) have not found the course as interesting as usual! One feels like asking, "Did you hear Professor Phelps describe his literary pilgrimage in England, or his lecture on Robert Browning? How about Dean Brown, didn't you enjoy him? And Mrs. MacDowell, and Mr. Garrett on the Lorna Doone country, were they not delightful? Didn't Mrs. Kidder take off the London Flower Girl well? What an inspiring lecture Dr. Cabot's was, and wasn't the music of the Longy club a revelation of what wind instruments may do?"

Though our social obligations have not been numerous, they have been excellent in quality and well attended. Our "Gentlemen's Night" in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the club was a marked success and many requests have come that such an affair be repeated oftener than once in ten years.

On March 12th we discharged our social obligations to some of the other clubs by inviting the Massachusetts delegates to the Chicago biennial to attend a reunion of our club and share with us the lecture on Browning by Prof. Phelps. By the expression of their faces, as well as by their spoken words, it proved to be as one of them expressed it "a banner day" for them.

Three large packing boxes of clothing have been sent to the Belgians; one has been distributed among the poor of Lowell, while two other boxes of old cotton and linen have been collected for use in the hospitals of northern France. These latter helped to supply 36 cases, containing 232,938 pieces, which were sterilized and sent under the auspices of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. We have also been instrumental in raising several hundred dollars from the citizens at large for the purchase of food for the war sufferers. The latest advices from the front tell us that no more clothing is needed (at least for Belgium), but they urge all committees and individuals to focus their efforts upon supplying food, of which there is a serious and growing shortage.

The club has appointed two delegates as members of the Flying Squadron permanent committee, and one member to represent the club in investigating the conditions of the public dance halls.

In closing, your president wishes to take this opportunity to express to you her sincere appreciation of the unfailing kindness, encouragement and loyalty that have been shown her during her three years of service, and her hope that she may not have proved unworthy of the confidence that has been placed in her, nor of the honor conferred upon her.

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THE VICIOUS CIRCLE

All friends of American business, of labor, as represented by the ordinary worker, and of the general public should beware lest, in the abuse of power, any group, whether among the capitalists or among the labor interests, should go too far in its demands. Full prosperity can survive only through friendly co-operation, and it is very possible for a misguided group to exercise selfishness to such an extent that the results should be general disorganization and industrial depression.

It must be apparent to the labor unions, for instance, that in some cases their demands may approach confiscation. They may organize successfully, may become a power politically and industrially, may right many wrongs and finally make demands that can only be met at public expense. In many lines of manufacture and business generally the margin between profit and loss is narrow, and in such cases, heavy labor demands will result in higher prices for the customer or the consumer. In this way it is quite possible for the worker to get an increase in wages that must be later paid back in a higher price for the commodities of life. It is not the amount of wages received that is all-important in the long run; it is the amount that the average worker can save, or the living that he may enjoy from his earnings. It is the purchasing power of the dollar.

This fact is illustrated by the coal situation. Some years ago coal was less than $6 per ton; today it is about $8 per ton, and will be higher in the fall. The increase may be due to more than one cause, but the coal producers attribute it to the increased expenditures that have followed labor agitations. Thus, the gain to American labor in wages is offset by the heavy expenses for living comforts. When all is weighed, the direct gain may be found negligible.

Another instance is afforded by the railroad situation. With the advent of the automobile and the electric car, the steam railroads lost heavily in revenue, yet upon the heels of these losses followed insistent demands of all classes of railroad employes for higher wages. These demands could not be well refused, and in most instances they were backed up by the American public, but ultimately the public must pay the cost. Few American railroads now make large profits but still from time to time the employes make demand after demand for higher wages. When added to these demands is the other demand for improved equipment, the lot of the railroads is seen to be anything but rosy. Thus, again, the gain of the railroad employe has resulted in a loss to the general public, and so the circle of increasing demands is again in evidence. In the case of the railroads, it is evident that unless there is a radical change in the attitude of the public, the entire system of railroad transportation will have to be revolutionized, and it may be that then American labor will lose far more than it has ever gained.

New England also has experienced the labor agitation that, after a long deadlock, has crippled some industry and left bitter feelings between the owners of an industry and the workers. When, for instance, shoe concerns of Lynn and elsewhere are driven out of business, who triumphs? The shoe concerns do not win, it is certain, but what do the workers win? Any agitation that would permanently injure an industry is a detriment to labor, and should be frowned upon by all wise people in labor circles and outside.

As unions grow strong they must not abuse their power, if they are to be a permanent benefit to the people. They must beware of extremists and reactionary agitators who care little for the good of any class and aim only at perpetual disruption, for deep-seated reasons. The great mass of American labor union members are sane, public-spirited and patriotic, but they must beware of erratic leaders and policies that would lead them into danger. Any agitation that would aim at extreme measures, that would make unfair demands and that would stir up class passion and prejudice has evil fruits and should be avoided. It is very possible for misguided and short-sighted groups in any class to carry their fight against a grievance to such a point that they would become a greater menace than that which they are ostensibly fighting. All who work for betterment should beware of the vicious circle, the effects of which are evident to the thinker.

WATCH THE HOODLUM

The activities of the hoodlum form one of the most serious problems confronting the police department of all our communities during the summer season. Gangs of young roughs, some of them scarcely out of the nursery and some advanced in their 'teens congregate together early in the season and make themselves generally objectionable. Their vicious habits and practices are a decided nuisance and in many instances they become so objectionable in certain parts of our cities that many hesitate to use out of the way streets after dark or to avail of the parks which are supported by public money for the use of the general public. This is unfortunately as true of Lowell as of any other city and it would seem from the records of the last few years that our hoodlums are growing in number and in power.

The city of Malden had an experience last Saturday which should be a warning to all our communities. There, a parade had been organized for the official opening of the clean-up campaign, and Saturday evening, 500 boys and girls carrying banners with appropriate mottoes started out from the state armory accompanied by the mayor, his wife and representatives of civic leagues. There was a band, and the usual features of such a parade, including American flags. Shortly after the parade started, it was stoned by hooting and jeering crowds of hoodlums who kept up their lawless offences along the line of march, causing many injuries among the marchers. Even the presence of a mounted police squad at the head of the procession did not discourage the villainous roughs who evidently, and perhaps wisely, saw something objectionable to their existence in the starting of a "clean-up" campaign. Malden has learned from this regrettable experience that to clean up the city properly it must not stop at the streets, parks, homes and lawns. It must clean out the organized gangs of hoodlums that have shown themselves to be a great menace to the public.

This is an extreme instance, but to some extent Lowell suffers from the same activity. It is a most regrettable fact that decent girls cannot go to some of our summer parks—especially in the evening—without hearing indecent and insulting remarks, and that people whose homes are in the vicinity of such parks are being continually offended by ribald conversation and profanity. Even where the city hires an official watchman, such things go on, as it is impossible for him to keep a close watch on all the various groups of young roughs that infest some of the parks and make it impossible for decent people to go there. It should certainly be possible for two girls to go unattended by a male escort to any of our parks or commons throughout the day or evening without being grossly offended and insulted by obscene and double-meaning salutations. Nobody will object to sport or play if indulged in legitimately, but all public-spirited citizens will object to our public places being spoiled by the pest of the undesirable hoodlum.

It is obviously difficult for the police department to handle this question adequately, as most of those who are insulted prefer to make no complaint rather than to invite the publicity of a court experience. They simply do what scores have done, resolve to avoid the scene of the insult and leave the park to the undesirables. This does not intimate, of course, that all of the young men, or old men, who use the parks and commons belong to the undesirable class, but anybody who has experience knows full well that the conditions described are very, very common.

Now is the time for the police department to exert itself, while the season is young. All of our larger parks should be adequately policed, and well lighted at night, and those found objectionable should be prosecuted without delay. Evidently in Malden the gangs think themselves more mighty than the police department, and the same feeling will grow up where hoodlums are permitted to indulge in vicious habits with impunity. Now is the time for the police department to keep an eye on the habitual loafers, the unmanly toughs, and the indecent few that by their bad example contaminate many. The elimination of the gangs from our streets and public places removes many a nursery of crime, keeps misery from many a home and protects the public.

IRELAND AND THE WAR

Just at present a great many people who never took any interest in Ireland before are dilating upon what her attitude should be in the European war. They rake up the history of the past to excite the prejudice of Irishmen against England; but they fail to mention the undeniable fact that a peaceful revolution has been effected in Ireland during the last fifteen years and that but for the war Ireland would now be well started on an era of prosperity rarely equalled in her history, and yet but a preparation for the better times to come under home rule.

The war has affected conditions of course, but the Irish people under their able and responsible leader, know what they are doing, and they know too, what is coming to them at the end of the war. It is to their credit that they are not led into ruinous plots and discord by the paid agents of Germany. Nor is England to be criticized for suppressing pro-German newspapers notoriously supported by German funds.

It is fashionable in some quarters to revile Hon. John E. Redmond, the Irish leader. This is a favorite practice by some men who never before evinced any great interest in the Irish cause and who are in no sense authorized to speak for the Irish people either here or in Ireland. It is fortunate for Ireland that in this crisis she is guided by one of the ablest statesmen in Europe and a man whose patriotism is unquestioned. At present he is having a strong force of Irish volunteers trained at the expense of the government to be ready to defend home rule when the war is over should any attempt be made to restrict or delay its operation.

Everybody regrets the casualties in the war, of course, and no doubt there will be considerably more before the conflict is over; but if Mr. Redmond had opposed recruiting or advised neutrality, there would have been conscription in Ireland and Irishmen would go to the war in hand cuffs while the whole country would be under martial law if not made the scene of bloodshed. Nobody at the opening of this war had any idea that it would be such a terrible conflict; but now that the fate of Ireland is linked with England in the great international struggle, she must continue to do her share until peace is declared. She will then be in a position to defeat any possible attempt to overturn home rule.

The rebellion of 1798 would not be a circumstance to what would follow any backward step on the part of the government whether liberal or tory. Let no man assume that home rule is to be set aside. Mr. Redmond is making that impossible under any condition that can arise and the people are thoroughly united in support of his policy.

SECRET SESSIONS

We should have no secret sessions either in the municipal council or in the school department. On this point the charter is very specific, and any secret conclave, session or conference at a time of official meeting is not strictly in accordance with the spirit of the charter. Some of the worst evils of past administrations were directly due to such secret sessions or plots, and they have been frowned upon by the Lowell public. Recently there has been a tendency to revive secret conferences and sessions, but the practice will not stand the light of pitiless publicity.

It does not seem that in planning for a high school site, a contagious hospital site, a white way or any other improvement, the municipal council has anything to hide from the public; such things, if they are ever to come, will come through the expenditure of public moneys. In voting for improvements our city council simply plans to spend some of that money, and the public should be acquainted not only with the arranged facts but the entire process of coming at such an arrangement. Secret sessions tend to create suspicion in the public mind, and though the most honest aims were intended, one cannot blame the public for being curious. Our charter was arranged to do away with secret sessions knowingly and designedly, and any administration that ignores this fact will be advocating a very unpopular, undemocratic and dangerous measure.

It may be indeed that the publications of plans for a new high school, contagious hospital or other innovation would flood city hall with bids from real estate dealers. There is nothing undesirable in this. In fact, it is quite proper that the widest possible advertisement of such an intention were given, just as our supply department is supposed to provide for fair and open competition. The municipal council need never be afraid of action honestly and openly taken, but it has reason to avoid the secret session as something unpopular, undesirable and against the letter and spirit of the city charter.

ADVERTISING SIGNS

In the specific instance in which the city has withdrawn its intended action against a company that is about to erect an advertising sign, there may have been no other course open to the municipality; still, the episode should not be lost sight of until the law is amended or until a law is framed which would give the city authorities more power. It is decidedly wrong that any local or out of town concern has the power to come here and erect signs of any variety against the expressed will of the city. The withdrawal of the suit has established a very dangerous precedent, and some counter move is necessary if the rights of the public are to be safeguarded.

It is not in Lowell alone that a strong feeling has grown up against large and defacing advertising signs. Everywhere, the public is protesting and municipalities are seeking means to limit the erection of such signs or to make them conform to some code of regulations that will eliminate their most pernicious aspects. We may see, any day we go into our public streets, miserable little buildings right in the heart of our business districts, the owners of which get a good revenue from rented signs or bill boards that offend the eye, keep back property improvement, and make the streets most unlovely, and so long as these conditions are allowed to continue, it is useless to talk about city beautiful ideals. Occasionally one sees an advertising sign or collection of signs that ornament as well as advertise, but in most cases our bill boards and advertising signs are object lessons of the poorest taste.

Now it is alleged that there is no law which gives the city the right to stop the erection of some varieties of advertising signs, but the municipal council can frame an ordinance to prevent unsightly and dangerous signs in any part of the city. The sign evil has been allowed to go too far at the expense of the public welfare and safety.

FOR POLAND

One who walked through the public streets last Saturday and noted the great number of little Polish flags or tags that were worn by the masses must have realized that the appeal for aid was promptly and generously responded to. The American people have been accused of being a sordid and materialistic people but they have shown many times of late that they can always find sympathy in their hearts and money in their pockets when the cry for aid comes from any corner of the devastated earth. Belgium will always hold the spirit of the American people in high regard, and now it is most desirable that poor Poland should receive generous aid from the same quarter. Poland is one of the closest nations to us of all European nations, by the bond of her aspirations for liberty, her championing of the early American struggles, her admiration for our great men, her genius and her sufferings. She has sent us men and women who are among the finest of our immigrant strains, honest, industrious, liberty-loving and virtuous—a stock from which will spring great future Americans. Today she stands in need of aid as never before, and it is to be hoped that many who have not been approached will respond to her call. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the band of zealous workers last Saturday—Polish, for the most part—made an excellent impression on the public by their sincerity, modesty and courteous activity.

INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT

Frank C. Tanner, who succeeded William Barnes as chairman of the republican state committee of New York last year, has issued a statement in which he condemns invisible government in New York, as revealed by the wonderful trial at Syracuse. He says—and who doubts it?—that at times neither the governor nor the legislature has been the real power in control of New York legislation, and he advocates plans to prevent a recurrence of such conditions. His remarks are applicable to all state government to some extent. Briefly, his plans are to give the government more power, making him directly responsible to the public, and to do away with the many overlapping and conflicting powers of government now existing in certain quarters. The problem is a big one and it is not likely that reform can come all at once, but the Syracuse trial shows that all sincere men in politics and out have a grave and timely task on hand in the routing of evil influences that through graft, political chicanery and all the dubious methods of bossism and kindred ills make invisible government a menace to democracy.

Secretary Daniels is warming up. Smarting under continual and for the most part unjust criticism he now declares that one type of U. S. guns "will shoot farther, shoot straighter, and hit harder than any gun now in use or known to be designed by a foreign country." Bravo, Josh! Nothing of the battleship piffle about that.

The stores should not forget during this time of clean-up activity that clean sidewalks, shiny windows and attractive displays will help the cause along. It is most important to have cleanliness in the residential districts, but it is imperative that we have order and cleanliness in the business districts.

Washington reports optimism over the continued indications of business improvement. The increase is slow but is all the more sure for that reason. Still, it is but a prelude to coming prosperity, if Americans take advantage of their opportunities.

This is the best walking weather of the year. The roads are in good condition, the prospect is refreshing and spring throws its jewels in handfuls along the way. Look up, throw back the head and face the open fields. There, one finds not war but health and mental refreshment.

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THE INTRODUCTION

Some time ago an eminent speaker returned from a tour through the back counties, and gave a recital of his experiences to a few of his personal friends.

"Speaking of the inevitable chairman," smiled the orator, "I ran across one who was unique, indeed. Instead of making a speech about three hours long in introducing me, he——"

"I know," gratefully interjected one of his friends; "he just said: 'The orator of the evening,' and ducked."

"No, not exactly," responded the speaker. He said: 'I don't intend to stand here and bore you ladies and gentlemen, but will introduce Mr. Smith, who can do it a whole lot better.'"

SHIRT-SLEEVE GENERAL

It was in South Africa that General French earned the title of the "shirt-sleeve general"—a sobriquet that conveys a subtle compliment from "Tommy's point of view. Actually French was often to be seen walking about in camp during his heavy marches in shirt-sleeves, writes Mr. Cecil Chisholm, in his biography of Sir John French (Jenkins.)

One afternoon a correspondent rode up to the lines, and, seeing a soldier sitting on a bundle of hay, smoking a dilapidated looking old briar pipe, asked where the general was.

"The old man is somewhere about," coolly replied the soldier.

"Well, just hold my horse while I go and search for him."

"Certainly, sir," and the smoker rose obediently and took the bridle.

"Can you tell me where the general is?" inquired the correspondent of a staff officer farther down the line.

"Gen. French? Oh, he's somewhere about. Why, there he is, hold that horse's head!"

And the officer pointed directly to the smoker, still tranquilly pulling at his pipe and holding the horse. Needless to say, "Uncle French" and his men hugely enjoyed the correspondent's awakening.

HARD TO BE FUNNY

Charles Chaplin, known as the funniest man in the movies, frequently seen in the films in local theatres was unknown a little more than a year ago and today theatre patrons the whole world over are laughing at him. "Being funny is serious business," says Chaplin, "but if you take it seriously it's fatal. Sounds like a paradox doesn't it? Let me try and explain just what I mean. "It is the character itself you are attempting to portray that contains whatever bits of comedy you are going to succeed in 'getting over.' The peculiarities, idiosyncracies or peculiar situations in which you can place the character are innumerable. In consequence playing say a comedy barber role calls for very serious study of the character of a barber. The moment, however, you have drained dry the particular character you are studying you must drop all evidence of seriousness and proceed to act the part with such spontaneity that when the camera records your efforts it will appear as though each motion you have made was done on the spur of the moment. There must be realism in comedy. Coarse burlesque is no longer wanted. It is the deviation from the ordinary that makes the picture funny. Some little act that is unexpected and causes a surprise brings the laughs. But this act must be natural and in accordance with what the character might easily do in real life. If the action appears to be forced it merely appears absurd and falls to be funny."

LAW OF LARCENY

I noticed that Madge didn't speak to Lucille,
The chum of her heart, when they met on the street;
And my curious wonder I could not conceal,
So I asked: "Why this coolness when bosom friends meet?"

Said Madge: "I'd a kiss stolen from me last night,
By Harold Van Duser (of sinners the chief);
And later, Lucille took that kiss with delight—
I regard the receiver as worse than the thief."

—John W. Condon in Manchester Union

If Madge tells the truth, when Lucille "took that kiss"
From poor helpless Harold, it's our firm belief
Though it injure her pride and puncture her bliss,
She was not a receiver, but just a plain thief.

But ere we condemn her let's get at the facts:
She stole what was stolen before, we suppose.
Now what is the rule in regard to such acts?
"Second thief is best owner," the old saying goes.

—Rody McPhee in Springfield Union.

If the kiss is her property, Madge's we mean,
And one she could recognize plainly on sight,
We believe we could fix the whole case all serene.
Please Lucille and please Madge and please Harold, all right.

Have Lucille give the kiss back to Harold-ker-smack!
In the presence of Madge, to see it was the one;
Then, when he had got it, Madge might take it back,
Then all would be as 'er the trouble begun.

—Judd M. Lewis in Houston Post.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

HIGHER EDUCATION

It would seem that circumstances are tending toward free higher education. States may before long furnish free college instruction just as cities do free school instruction. The result may be fewer private schools, but it cannot be helped. Such schools would not, we should imagine, appeal as generally as the public grammar and high schools do. The number to whom higher education means something is limited. Instead of encouraging a college education for every boy and girl, there should be a call for the select fit. There should be no wastage in free higher education.—Woonsocket Call.

THE EXPOSURES

The trial of the Barnes-Roosevelt libel suit continues to bring to public notice the inside of a number of political deals which have involved leaders of the republican and democratic parties in New York in the past. These disclosures would be a benefit if there were any likelihood that the exposure will prevent a recurrence of such things, but can anything prevent this so long as political parties are conducted as they have been and still are?—Newport News.

LYNN CLEAN-UP

"A stitch in time saves nine," says the proverb, and if the spirit of the saying is allowed to control the action of housekeepers, their premises will be far more pleasing in appearance than the ordinary back yard in the opening days of spring. Now that the city has undergone a regular spring cleaning, the thing to be done is to make its present condition permanent. Cleaning by instalments and at frequent intervals will relieve the necessity of such work as that which has engaged the attention of the people during the week now closing.—Lynn Item.

INFLOW OF WORKERS

That inflow of workmen from Europe that President Gompers would have the government restrict ought to be left to work itself out. If the workmen come to this country it will be because there is opportunity to work in this country—somebody wants to hire help. The man who wants to hire help ought to be allowed to. It means that more work will be done. More wages. More money spent in the stores. Greater prosperity.—Lewiston Sun.

NAVAL ACTIVITY

Vague rumors of new activity on the part of the German high seas fleet have not, so far, developed any real evidence of a departure from the waiting policy of the kaiser's navy. The reported shelling of Dunkirk is now said to have been conducted from a point some miles inland, not from warships. The German headquarters statement confirms this later view. The belief that naval lines are slackening is an apprehension rather than a discovery. The expectation of a great naval test has been strengthened, lately.—Brockton Times.

BOY MURDERED

Mutilated Body Was Found in Tenement Hallway, New York

NEW YORK, May 4.—Charles Murray, 11½ years old, was murdered last night near his home on the lower East Side by an unknown person. The child's mutilated body was found in the hallway of a tenement house not far from the scene of the recent murder of Leonore Cohen, aged 5.

The Cohen girl's body was found on March 19 last and, like that of the Murray boy, had been hacked with a knife. The murderer was never caught.

Charles Murray was seen playing in the yard back of his home last night 20 minutes before the crime was committed. A 6-year-old sister of the murdered boy gave the police a description of a foreigner who, she said, she saw hurry out of the hallway before the finding of the body.

As in the Cohen case, the murderer left no clue. The father of the boy stated that his son returned Sunday from a two days' visit to relatives in Brooklyn. He said members of his family had never been threatened.

A man who was accused by young girls of chasing them with a knife was taken into custody shortly before the body of the Murray boy was found.

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MOTORIST IN COURT

CHARGED WITH FAILING TO STOP WHEN PASSENGERS ON A STREET CAR WERE ALIGHTING

LAWRENCE, May 4.—Joseph F. Bertsch of Jamaica Plain was in the district court here yesterday before Judge Mahoney, charged with violating the automobile laws and the city ordinances. The case was continued until May 13. It is charged that the defendant failed to bring his machine to a stop when passengers were alighting from a street car and also failed to keep on the right side of the street and as near the curbing as possible.

William Anderson of 58 Osgood street and George Towler of North Andover were struck Saturday night by Bertsch's car in front of the Bay State street railway transfer station, but escaped with minor injuries.

COBURN MISSION

A feature of the annual meeting of the Coburn Mission Sunday school, which was held at the mission in Varnum avenue, was the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Superintendent, Carl H. Palm; assistant superintendent, Henry Palm; secretary, Ralph Tewksbury; assistant secretary, Hazel Milliken; treasurer, Percy Edwards; assistant treasurer, Anna P. Marshall; librarian, Harold Fall; assistant librarian, Olga Boudry; prayer meeting committee, chairman, Olive Palm, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Milliken, E. Louise Field; social committee, chairman, Mrs. C. Boudry, Olive Palm; flower committee, chairman, Edna Palm, Rae Clark, Olga Boudry; calling committee, chairman, Carl H. Palm, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Miller; building committee, chairman, Arnold B. Marshall, J. Hoyle, Henry Palm; library committee, chairman, Louise Field, Mr. Boudry, Anna P. Marshall; auditing committee, chairman, Herbert Palm, Mrs. Arnold B. Marshall; press committee, chairman, Henry Palm, Arnold Marshall.

TUFTS EXPERT'S BILL CUT

Judge Reduces Sum Given Dr. A. W. Balch for Service at Worcester Murder Trial to $225

WORCESTER, May 4.—Dr. Alfred W. Balch of Tufts medical school, who served as blood expert for the defense in the trial of Felix Vadenais, Jr., of Manchaug on charge of murder of Joseph S. Goldberg, is allowed $225 for his services by Judge Sanderson who presided.

Dr. Balch presented a bill for $275, including $150 for three days' laboratory work.

The court has allowed the bill of $500 of Dr. W. F. Whitney of Harvard Medical school, blood expert for the government.

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CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, May 4—Congressional investigation of the appointment of Chas. N. Nagel, former secretary of commerce and labor, as neutral member of the arbitration board which settled the wage dispute of engineers and firemen on 98 western railroads was demanded in a resolution adopted last night by delegates representing the men's organizations.

Such an investigation is necessary the resolution asserted, if further controversies between labor and capital are to be adjusted amicably.

AVIATOR MAYES KILLED

EL PASO, Texas, May 4.—Jack Mayes, a San Francisco aviator, was killed yesterday at Aguascalientes in making a test flight of one of the aeroplanes purchased for the Villa army, according to a telegram reaching here yesterday.

The message said Mayes was flying at the rate of sixty miles an hour when his biplane struck a building, crushing the aviator's head and shoulders.

AVERT STRIKE OF CLERKS

Mission of U. S. Mediators Proves Successful at New Haven—Differences Due to Promotion Plan

HARTFORD, Conn., May 4.—A strike among the freight clerks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has been averted, it was learned here yesterday, through the mediation of two men sent here recently from Washington by the department of labor.

The men were Clifton Reeves and Patrick Gilday. They spent several days in Hartford and in New Haven and returned to Washington Sunday.

They had a conference with R. G. Stearns of New Haven, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Freight Clerks, and Mr. Stearns was quoted yesterday as saying that, while there were differences between the men and the company, there would be no strike now.

Details of the trouble were refused, but it is understood that it had to do with the plan followed in making promotions, it being claimed that the men promoted do not receive the same salaries as those whose places they take.

Last Friday, when it was announced in Washington that the two mediators had been named, Pres. Elliott of the New Haven gave out a statement saying he knew of no trouble between the road and its employes.

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TO JOIN RED CROSS IN SERBIA

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—Six Brown men last night signified their intention of joining the American Red Cross in Serbia where a campaign against the ravages of typhus fever is being conducted. The men will leave for Serbia May 13, at which time a contingent from several universities will be sent.

The men are as follows: Graduate student, Lowell C. Kendrick, of this city; senior, Homer E. Van Derwerken of Middle Granville, N. Y.; juniors, Paul L. Russell of White Plains, N. Y., Harold G. Sacton of Brockton, Mass., and Henry L. Cohen of this city; sophomore, Isaac Y. Olch of this city.

WILL APPEAL SHOE DECISION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Attorney-General Gregory yesterday decided to appeal to the supreme court the antitrust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company, recently dismissed by a federal court at Boston.

Appeal will be taken under the expediting act, and the attorney-general will ask for a writ of error. Arguments will be made at the fall term of court, if possible. Mr. Gregory looks upon this case as one of the most important now in the court involving the Sherman anti-trust act.

The department is considering bringing in the near future an additional proceeding against the shoe company under the Clayton anti-trust act, which forbids "tying contracts" such as the government alleges this company has used in dealing with competitors.

PAY HONOR TO PRES. SHUMAN

BOSTON, May 4.—A. Shuman was tendered a complimentary luncheon at the City club yesterday noon following his election for the 25th term as president of the board of trustees of the Boston City hospital. Mr. Shuman is now serving his 30th term as a member of the board. Following the luncheon, Mr. Shuman reviewed at considerable length the work being done at the City hospital and the hopes that he had for its future success. He also expressed pleasure at the possibilities laid open to the trustees through the taking over of the West Roxbury Parental school buildings.

Joseph P. Manning was elected secretary for a fourth term.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE

The regular meeting of the members of Tewksbury grange will be held in Vestry hall, Centre village, this evening and the public is cordially invited. The subject of discussion will be "Education."

KEITH'S THEATRE

Crowded houses should prevail at all performances at Keith's theatre this week, for the program there is one of the best ever given in this city. All acts are of the top notch variety and each is sufficiently classy to be styled as a headliner. The audience last night was very large and that those present enjoyed the program was attestrd by the applause that greeted each and every number.

One of the most novel offerings seen here in many moons is "The Fashion Shop." The feature is one that is bound to please even the most fastidious theatre goer. Hugo Jansen is a real designer of women's garb, and he demonstrates during the time that he is before the footlights just how to adjust yards of material to the figures of the four young women who assist him in his number to bring attractive results. Jansen works with pins and deft fingers, and the remarkable gowns that are so made up would cause the spectator to believe that he were at an extensive gown shop.

Of course, the gowns were draped around experienced demonstrators, but nevertheless, the expeditious manner in which the work is carried out by Mr. Jansen stamps him as a wonder at the game.

He takes a few yards of cloth, throws it around the model, and in a shorter time than it takes to tell it you are confronted with a woman all dressed for a ball.

Altogether six dresses are fashioned, each entirely distinctive, and on the final three days of the week Jansen will change his program of gown creating entirely, and will advance a half dozen of new models.

A pleasing comedy story is included in the feature, and this adds greatly to its successful presentation. Blanche Latell appears as the farmer's daughter, "Neuralgia," and Earl Corr, an experienced funny man, is seen to advantage as "Hiram Corncob," who is on a tour of sightseeing in New York. Maida Burker, as the principal model, sings and dances cleverly.

Five young women designated as the Five Violin Beauties contribute a very pleasing number. Included in the quintet is Miss Ethel Sharrow of Lowell, whose ability is well known to Lowellites. At last night's show she was given an ovation. The girls play, dance and sing, and do all excellently. Their final number shows them appearing in costumes of various nationalities and playing melodies suggestive of those nationalities. Daphne Lewis made an attractive Scotch lassie, and Maziebelle Valeta was a rollicking Dutch fraulein, while Miss Sharrow, dancing an Irish jig inimitably, was a real hit as a colleen from the Emerald isle. Miriam Glover played a hot-blooded Spanish number, and looked the senorita from Spain, while little Miss Anderson wound up the review as a harem beauty.

A voice usually heard at a grand opera performance emanated from behind the wings of the stage last night and sweetly floated over the theatre and all prepared to look upon the prima donna who finally appears and to the surprise of all, the owner of the sweet voice is a mere man. The act is labelled Milo—?—but there is no question about the ability of the performer. He possesses a beautiful voice and knows how to use it to the best possible advantage.

A very clever little comedy entitled "The Fixer," is also on the bill. It shows the woman editor of a country newspaper, the corrupt mayor of a backwoods burg, the omnipresent printer's devil, and the advance man of a circus engaged in a tangle, which only ends when the advance man—the fixer—hands a sockdologer to the mayor and decides that he will settle down in a small town, and take unto himself a bride. Walter D. Nealand, is all that would be desired as the fixer, and Miss Marion Buell is adequate as the woman editor, while William Howatt furnishes considerable good comedy as the devil.

Hilton and Roberts furnish a good number, replete with fun and laughter and Marrus and Clements give several grand opera numbers that please immensely. The musical chef, the opening number, and the Hearst-Selig pictures are very good. The football game, last fall, between the teams of St. John's academy, Danvers, and St. Vincent de Paul's team, of the Middle West, is bound to arouse enthusiasm.

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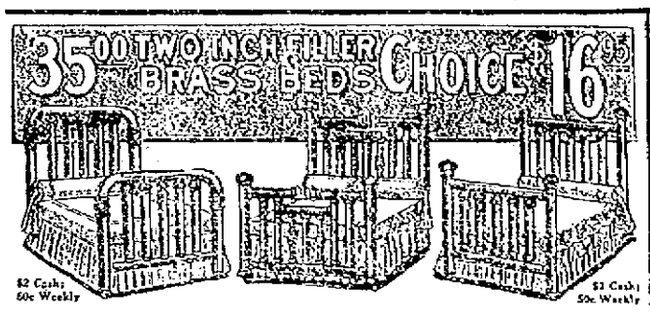

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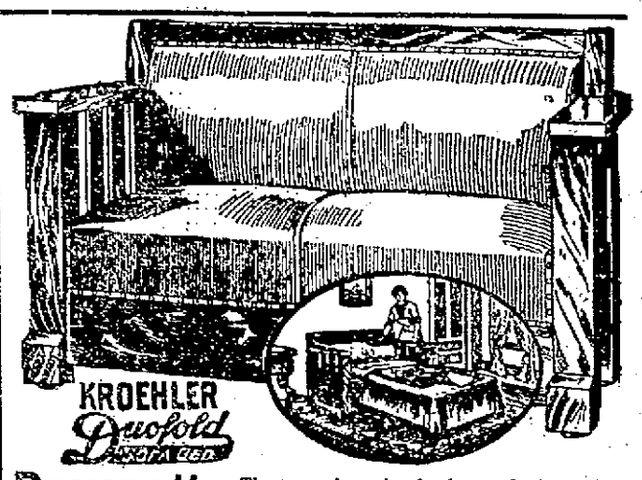

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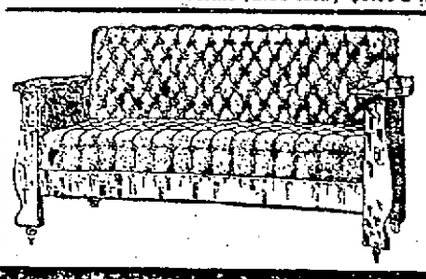

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THE OWL THEATRE

Nance O'Neil, the idol of Lowell, a former resident of our city, and a world-famous tragedienne attracted record-breaking crowds at the Owl theatre yesterday. She was starred as Miriam in "The Kreutzer Sonata" a famous play written by the celebrated Count Leo Tolstoi. This production is the most dramatic film portrayal ever seen in Lowell. It is a maelstrom of emotion in which Miss O'Neil is seen to her greatest advantage. Her acting is a marvel of the art of expression. They may hire actresses from far away, but the American actress is the nearest to the heart of the public as was shown yesterday. Five other films complete a great show. It will be repeated today. Coming Wednesday and Thursday, "The Pit," with Wilton Lackaye, the play which he made famous on the stage.

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PERJURY CHARGE

Safford Says Osborne is Man Who Registered With Rae Tanzer

NEW YORK, May 3.—Frank D. Safford, the hotel clerk indicted on a charge of perjury in connection with his identification of James W. Osborne, a well known lawyer, as the man who registered with Miss Rae Tanzer at a New Jersey hotel last October, reiterated on the stand in his own defense today that Osborne was the man he had seen at the hotel.

Safford related with minute detail many of the incidents leading up to his previous identification.

He said:

"I have looked at Mr. Osborne in court since and the more I have looked at him the more I am convinced that he is the man and I won't take it back. I didn't do it for pay and I have not committed any perjury."

WEAVERS STRIKE

Employes in Seven Mills of the Fall River Iron Works Co. Quit

FALL RIVER, May 3.—Union weavers in all seven mills of the Fall River Iron Works Co. went out on strike this afternoon as the result of a notification alleged to have been given out by the overseers in the weaving dep'ts, ments that unless the weavers worked a part of the noon hour they would stand suspended. Several hundred left their work and reported to the headquarters of the union, where a meeting was held.

The Fall River textile council and the weavers union have been fighting the policy of noontime operation of looms at these mills and a conference held with the superintendent, William Evans, resulted in the Textile council being given to understand that it was optional with the weaver whether he worked the additional time or not. The weavers union reports that three of their number have been discharged for refusing to work. It was then voted to strike in case of further discharges. The alleged threat of suspension was equal to a discharge in the opinion of the weavers and they walked out. The Iron Works mills employ about 1400 weavers, and the union officials at this time cannot say what percentage of this number is out.

ASK GERMANY FOR FACTS

SEC. BRYAN WANTS NEWS ON TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Secretary Bryan announced late today that he would instruct Ambassador Gerard to inquire of the German government the facts in connection with the torpedoing of the American ship Gulflight by a German submarine.

ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPANESE NEWSPAPER SAYS JAPAN WILL SEND FIRM NOTE TO CHINESE GOVERNMENT

TOKIO, May 3.—The Jiji Shimpo, a Japanese newspaper of good standing, issued an extra edition this afternoon in which it made the statement that Japan would send an ultimatum to China, the Chinese reply to the latest Japanese communication regarding the demands of the Tokio government being considered unsatisfactory.

The Japanese cabinet was in session for six hours today. A telegram was hurriedly sent to the Japanese ambassador at Peking.

The Ihara News Agency this afternoon said that the emperor might issue an important order in a few days.

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

HAVERHILL, May 3.—Thomas Chase, 69 years old, reputed wealthy and a retired Haverhill ice dealer, was found dead in his room today. Death was caused by inhaling illuminating gas. Chase was a Civil war veteran, serving in the Third Massachusetts heavy artillery. With his brothers he controlled the ice business of this section for many years. He disposed of his interests two years ago. He was also interested in lumber operations.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Stock Market Closing Prices, May 3

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75¾	73¼	73½
Am Beet Sugar	49¾	48	48⅝
Am Can	42⅛	39¾	39¾
Am Can pf	99½	99⅛	99⅛
Am Car & Fn	57⅞	55½	55½
Am Cot Oil	52	50¾	52
Am Hide & L pf	36⅝	34¾	34¾
Am Locomo	59	54¾	54¾
Am Smelt & R	73¾	71	71
Am Smelt & R pf	107½	107½	107½
Am Sugar Rfn	111½	110½	110½
Anaconda	36¾	35⅛	35⅛
Atchison	102½	101½	101¾
Balt & Ohio	77¼	76⅛	76⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	71⅝	71½	71½
Br Rap Tran	90½	89½	90
Canadian Pa	164⅛	161	161
Cast I Pipe	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛
Cast I Pipe pf	45	45	45
Cent Leather	41½	39	39½
Cent Leather pf	103	103	103
Ches & Ohio	46½	45⅝	45⅝
Chi & Gt W	12¾	12¾	12¾
Col Fuel	33⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Consol Gas	130	129	129½
Den & Rio G pf	15	15	15
Dis Secur Co	16⅛	15	15⅛
Erie	28⅛	27¾	28
Erie 1st pf	44¼	43½	43½
Erie 2d pf	37	36½	36½
Gen Elec	150½	150⅛	157
Gt North pf	121	120	120½
Gt N Ore ctf	37¾	35¾	36
Illinois Cen	110⅛	108	108
Int Met Com	22½	21½	21½
Int Met Com pf	72½	71¼	71¼
Int Paper	11½	11	11½
In S Pump Co	7⅛	6⅞	7
Kan City So	27¼	25¾	26½
Kan City So pf	68⅝	65½	65½
Kan & Texas	14	13¼	13¾
Kan & Tex pf	31¾	34⅝	34⅝
Lehigh Valley	143½	142¼	142⅝
Louis & Nash	120⅞	120⅞	120⅞
Missouri Pa	15¾	14¼	14¾
Nat Lead	68½	65½	65½
N Y Air Brake	95	89	92
N Y Central	90	88⅛	88⅛
Nor & West	105¼	105¼	105¼
No Am Co	76	76	76
North Pacific	109⅝	108	108⅝
Ont & West	32⅛	31½	31½
Pennsylvania	105¾	106⅝	105½
People's Gas	118	118	118
Pressed Steel	55⅞	52	52½
Ry St Sp Co	38	35¾	36¼
Reading	151¾	148¾	148⅞
Rep Iron & S	31⅛	29¾	29¾
Rep I & S pf	88⅛	88	88
St L & So'wn	16½	16½	16½
St Paul	95⅛	93½	94
So Pacific	93	91⅞	92
Southern Ry	18⅝	18	18⅛
Southern Ry pf	58	58	58
Tenn Copper	34⅛	33¾	33¾
Texas Pac	15¾	15½	15½
Third Ave	54½	52½	53¼
Union Pacific	132⅛	129¾	129¾
Union Pac pf	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
U S Rub	69¾	67¾	68
U S Rub pf	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
U S Steel	60¾	57⅝	58⅞
U S Steel pf	108⅝	108¼	108¼
U S Steel 5s	102¼	102¼	102¼
Utah Copper	69¼	65⅞	65½
Wabash R R	1⅞	1⅜	1⅝
Wab R R pf	3¾	2¾	2¾
Westinghouse	103¾	95¾	98½
Western Un	68¼	68	68⅛

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 3.—Led by zinc stocks the local mining market weakened today although the selling movement was not extensive. American Zinc declined to 42 at the opening and Copper Range fell to 54. Other stocks were dull and lower.

FLEEING FROM AUSTRIA

UDINE, Italy, May 3—Italian consuls in Austria-Hungary, are recommending that all Italians leave the country as soon as possible.

As a result of this warning, Italian merchants, manufacturers and professional men are arriving today at Udine from points in Austria.

A SHADE OF DULLNESS

FEATURE OF OPENING—LIST SOON REBOUNDED SHARPLY — CLOSING WAS HEAVY

NEW YORK, May 3.—The characteristic feature of the opening market today was a shade of dullness which reflected itself throughout virtually the entire list. Prices of the most prominent issues receded fractionally from the closing quotations of Saturday, although the motor stocks maintained their rising tendency throughout the early trading.

Early offerings were absorbed with such confidence that the list soon rebounded sharply. U. S. Steel led the recovery, repeating its recent high quotation of 60⅞. Other important stocks rose to figures well above last week's final quotations even specialties like Westinghouse making up most of their final declines. Selling was resumed before noliday, however, on publication of advices from Washington which intimated that this government intends to make representations to Germany in connection with attacks on America vessels. Prices again fell one to three points in prominent stocks.

The market registered its third decline of the session in the early afternoon and the entire list fell lower than before. War specialties showed losses of five to almost ten points from Saturday's close on heavy selling.

Lowest prices ruled in the last hour, Steel falling three points under its best quotation, with proportionate declines elsewhere. The closing was heavy.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 3.—Mercantile paper 3 1-2a3 3-4. Sterling exchange steady; 60 day bills, 4.8650; for cables, 4.7960; for demand, 4.7915. Bar silver, 50 1-4; Mexican dollars, 38 3-8. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds heavy.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 2 3-4; 90 days, 2 3-4a3; six months, 3 1-4a3 1-2.

Call money firm, high, 2 1-2; low, 1 3-4; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1 3-4; offered at 2.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 3.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 9.75; July 10.05; Aug. 10.15; Oct. 10.37; Dec. 10.52; Jan. 10.56; March 10.76.

The close was steady.

May 9.74; July 9.93; Oct. 10.27; Dec. 10.47; Jan. 10.51; March 10.74.

Spot quiet. Middling 10.20. Sales 24,700 bales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROAD			
Boston Elevated	81	81	81
Bos & Maine	35	34½	34½
N Y & N H	67½	66⅞	66⅞
MINING			
Adventure	3⅛	2¾	2¾
Alaska Gold	38⅝	35⅛	36⅛
Algomah	3¾	3	3
Allouez	54½	53	53
American Zinc	44	41¾	42
Arcadian	10⅞	10	10⅛
Ariz Com	8	7¼	7½
Butte & Superior	69⅛	64	66½
Cal & Ariz	71½	68	68
Cal & Hecla	575	560	560
Centennial	20½	20	20
Chino	46	44½	45
Copper Range	57½	54	55
Daly-West	4	4	4
E. Butte	12¾	12¾	12¾
Franklin	12	10¼	10½
Granby	85	83	83½
Greene-Cananea	31¾	31½	31½
Hancock	22	22	22
Indiana	8¾	8½	8½
Isle Royale	28½	27	27
Keweenaw	5	5	5
Lake	11½	12¾	11
La Salle	6½	6½	6½
Mass	12⅞	12	12½
Mayflower	6	6	6
Miami	26¾	25½	25⅞
Mohawk	76	72	73
Nevada	15⅝	14¾	14⅞
Nipissing	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
North Butte	35¾	33½	34
No. Lake	3	3	3
Old Colony	5¼	5	5
Old Dominion	55	55	55
Osceola	85	83	83
Quincy	86½	85	85
Ray Con	23⅞	22⅞	23
Santa Fe	2½	2¼	2¼
Shannon	10	9	9
Superior	35	33¾	34
Superior & Boston	4	3⅞	4
Tamarack	39½	38	38
Trinity	6½	6	6
U S Smelting	40	38⅛	38½
U S Smelting pf	47	46	46
Utah-Apex	3⅝	3½	3⅝
Utah Cons	13	12¾	13
Utah Copper Co	68¼	65¾	65⅞
Winona	5⅛	4½	4⅝
Wolverine	63	61½	62
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	122½	122	122
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem Com	57	57	57
Am Ag Chem pf	92¾	92½	92¾
Am Pneu pf	17	16	16
Am Woolen pf	89	87¾	87¾
Mass Elec pf	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
Mass Gas	82	81	81
Mass Gas pf	88½	86½	88½
Pond Creek	16	16	16
Swift & Co	109¼	109¼	109¼
United Fruit	141¾	140	140
United Sh M	62¾	62	62¾
United Sh M pf	29	28½	28¾

FEDERAL SUPERVISION

MAYOR CURLEY ARRANGED FOR TRANSFER OF QUARANTINE SERVICE

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Mayor Curley of Boston arranged here today for the transfer of the quarantine service at Boston from city to federal supervision and for the designation of Dr. Richard H. Creel of the public health service as chairman of the Boston board of health.

POLISH TAG DAY

The exact amount of the Polish Tag day collections was $1158.61, but other sums to come in will make it $1500, as stated elsewhere.

WILL OF JOHN CUDAHY

LEAVES ENTIRE ESTATE TO WIDOW AND FOUR CHILDREN—ESTIMATE ESTATE AT $1,500,000

CHICAGO, May 3.—The will of the late meat packer, John Cudahy, filed for probate court today, leaves the entire estate to the widow and four children. The instrument does not mention the value of the estate. The bulk of the property is to be held in trust for seven years when all of the heirs except John P. Cudahy of Kansas City may take it over.

Counsel for the testator valued the estate at $1,500,000.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HE DROPPED DEAD

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—Congressman J. A. Golden of New York City dropped dead in the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad this afternoon.

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THE FILTRATION PLANT

That the contractor will have finished with the filtration plant at the boulevard before August 1, the time mentioned in the contract, was the statement made by Supt. Thomas of the water department. Contractor Gow is pushing the work for all it is worth and everything is going along as smoothly as though the ways were oiled. The only possible holdup feared by Commissioner Carmichael will be on the city's end of the contract and will have to do with sand. The commissioner believes, however, that he will be able to get enough of the right kind of sand to go through with the job without causing a delay.

MEETING CALLED OFF

The meeting of the city planning board scheduled for 2.30 o'clock yesterday did not materialize. Mayor Murphy waited in his office until three o'clock and then went to the ball game, having heard in the meantime from the secretary of the planning board that the meeting had been called off.

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SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, May 3.—No arguments will be heard in the supreme court after May 14 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 12. From May 14 until the court recess late in June it will meet on alternative Mondays to announce decisions. No cases of wide importance were decided today.

GENERAL VON HINDENBURG'S VISIT TO HOSPITAL ACTS AS TONIC TO WOUNDED GERMANS

VON HINDENBURG, INDICATED BY ARROW, AT FIELD HOSPITAL IN POLAND

Field hospitals of the Germans in Poland are models of German thoroughness. The most advanced surgery is practiced. On a recent date it was announced to the patients that General von Hindenburg, whose successes have made him the war hero of Germany, would pay the hospital a visit. Doctors agreed that this visit did more to help along the wounded than all the medicines at their command. Von Hindenburg went through the wards and whispered words of cheer and encouragement to the wounded war victims. After the visit, with several of the doctors, nurses and others, he posed on the steps of the hospital, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

KEEPING A ROOM IN ORDER

"It seems as though I never could keep our living room in order," complained Marjorie as she came upon Marie putting to rights her aunt's living room where she had just finished unwrapping a huge number of packages, the result of madame's shopping tour of yesterday.

"Why not make a 'catch-all' like that one hanging inside that closet door. It will help very much in keeping your living room tidy."

"Tell me how to make one and I will do it at once," enthusiastically broke in Marjorie.

"It is very easy," answered Marie. "If in every living room there were a handy receptacle for odds, a number of oft-wanted-in-a-hurry, things would not be thrown into a waste paper basket and finally upon an ash heap.

"A sort of catch-all that is inconspicuous as well as ornamental, and which may be hung up is made by deeply facing a circle of material of about a yard's diameter with some of the same material.

"These two edges are next separately bound in order to keep them firm and the two layers are then partioned into six pockets labelled distinctly 'string,' 'tissue paper,' 'braids,' 'lead pencils,' 'tacks,' and 'memorandum pads,' leaving the seventh and larger pocket formed by the center of the main circles for heavy wrapping paper.

"Along the edges of the contrivance, between each pocket, is attached a strand of the binding material, and these drawn together under a big fancy button, form its hangers."

"The catch-all is pretty in printed cretonne, figured denim, embroidered crash or any of the substantial fabrics of which utility bags are made. Its braid bindings may be of a silk, wool or linen weave, or of tinsel gimp, if the bag is upholstery damask or plush."

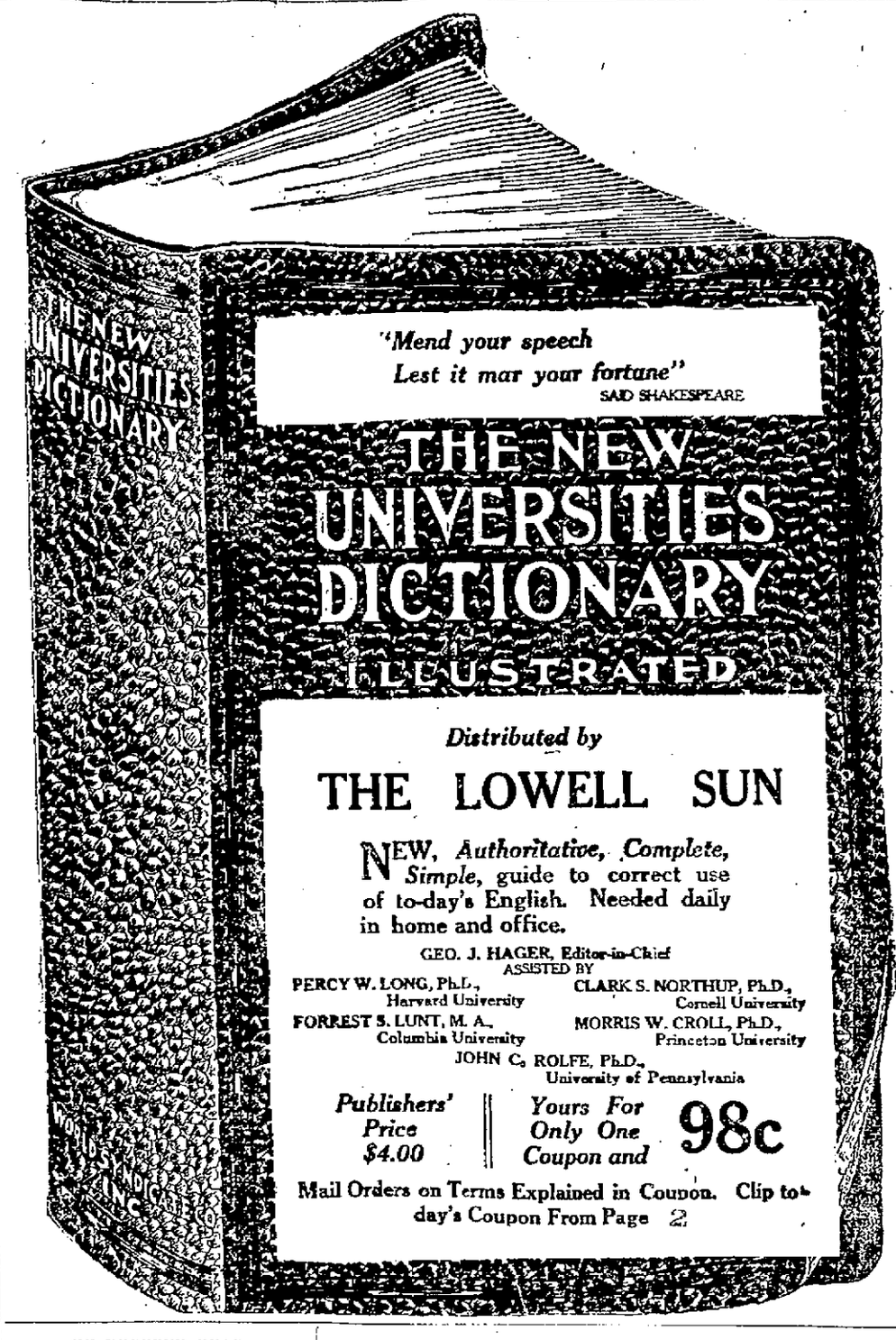
"Thank you so much," said Marjorie gratefully. "I am sure I can make one and it will greatly help me in keeping the living room tidy."

EXPENSES CUT ORDERED

Washington Sends Orders to Custodian of Buildings of Treasury Department Here

BOSTON, May 4.—Notice from Washington was received yesterday by the custodian of buildings of the treasury department ordering a sweeping reduction of the running expenses for May and June. Every person in the department will be affected. The notice says in part:

"It will be necessary to furlough each and every member of the custodian force paid from the appropriation 'operating force of public buildings' during the months of May and June, 1915, for a total period of eight days without pay. During these months no leave whatever will be granted with pay. The eight days need not be taken continuously, but should be granted in days and half-days and at such intervals as will insure the best possible upkeep of the buildings under the circumstances."



OFFICIAL REPORT ON THE TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The first official report of the torpedoing of the American tanker Gulflight reached the state department today in an undated despatch from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, saying the attack was made Saturday but the vessel was still afloat and that patrol boats were attempting to tow her to the Scilly islands.

Consul Stephens' message follows:

"American tank steamer Gulflight torpedoed off Scilly islands first instant. Captain died heart failure. Body landed. Two of crew drowned. 34 saved. Vessel afloat, patrol boats attempting to bring her into Scilly."

CAPT. GUNTHER'S CAREER

NEW YORK, May 3.—Captain Gunther of the Gulflight, who lost his life when that vessel was sunk by a German submarine was 57 years old. Early in the year he took a cargo of cotton from Port Arthur, Texas, to Amsterdam. In January of last year he was in command of the steamer Oklahoma which broke in two in a gale on the New Jersey coast and was rescued with seven of his crew by the steamer Bavaria.

OWNER MAKES STATEMENT

NEW YORK, May 3.—It is not the purpose of the Gulf Refining company, whose steamship, the Gulflight, was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands by a German submarine, to press any claim through the United States government at this time, according to George S. Davidson, president of the company.

"I will be in Washington tomorrow and will call at the state department," said Mr. Davidson. "Our property was covered by insurance in no way connected with the government marine insurance. That, of course, will be paid, and the only matter to be taken up with the government will have to do with the relief of the families of Captain Gunter, the wireless operator and the seamen whose deaths resulted from the attack. There are no more of our ships in that vicinity now but we are not going out of business because we have suffered this loss."

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COE BLAMES HIS WIFE

Unhappy at Home, Discouraged in Work, He Longed to be Free, He Says—Wife Denies Charge

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 4.—Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., who disappeared from his home in Allston, Mass., Jan. 30, has been positively identified and admits his identity. His health is perfect, and since his arrival in Fairbanks Feb. 22, after walking 400 miles from Cordova, he has worked himself into the good graces of the inhabitants.

Coe, who was identified by Alven Jones, a well-known and reliable Alaskan pioneer prospector, by means of circulars sent out by the Burns detective bureau of Boston, has made known his reasons for leaving his young wife.

He claims that he was tired of life in Boston.

He charges that his wife lived beyond her means.

Failure to succeed in business as rapidly as he had hoped, is another reason given.

His married life was an unhappy one, he asserts, and he longed for freedom from society.

Determined to strike out for himself and win on his own merits, he says, he drew $200 from a Boston bank, leaving his wife $100, and set out for Seattle, from which city he embarked for Cordova, from which place he walked to Fairbanks.

Coe is determined that he will never return and he wants his identity kept a secret, in Alaska at any rate. His relatives' social standing is unknown here.

Coe, long before his marriage, worked with a man named Ovando in Montana, and when he left Allston he went direct to Seattle, arriving there Feb. 4. Since March he has been employed as a machinist at the Samson Hardware Company at a salary of $150 a month.

He claims that he longed for a life in the open. When he left home he kissed his young wife as usual, he declares.

DENIAL BY MRS COE

Declares She Has Received No Message from Husband—Combats Charge of Extravagance

BOSTON, May 4.—Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., the deserted wife of the former Standard Oil company salesman and scion of a prominent New York family, vehemently denied last night that she had received a telegram from her husband.

She also denied that they had lived beyond their means during their comparatively brief married life, and asserts that, on the contrary, if she would have permitted it, their mode of living would have been much more extravagant.

She disclaims any knowledge of his ever lavishing any presents upon her, and asserted, at the home of her parents, 158 Harvard street, Brookline, last night, that since her marriage to young Coe June 3 last, he had bought her only a blue serge dress, costing between $20 and $25, and one pair of shoes.

Never Got Message

According to Mrs. Coe, Jr., her husband never displayed evidences of being dissatisfied; on the other hand, she declared that he appeared to be supremely happy.

In regard to his statement that he had tired of Boston, she said that he had become reconciled to living in Boston, and had frequently mentioned the fact, although at first he had longed for life in New York city, to which he had been accustomed.

"I do not believe that Harry ever telegraphed me, as he is reported to have stated. Certainly if he did, I never received the wire; as a matter of fact, the first news that I had of his being located in Alaska, came from Supt. Burns, who on April 20 telephoned me that he had received a clue from Fairbanks, which held out great promise. But the location was not definitely given.

"You may say for me that if my husband had ever sent a telegram to me I undoubtedly would have received it, even though the message had been addressed to our once happy home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. I think the case has been famous enough to have enabled the telegraph company to have found out my whereabouts. I was living with my father and mother on April 15.

"Anyway, it seems to me that the statement credited to him is completely contradictory. No one in his right senses would declare that he wanted his identity kept a secret, and then immediately wire his wife, would he? It does not sound like him, for if there was ever a boy who worshipped his mother, it was Harry Coe.

Believes Mind Affected

"But I don't think he would ever have wired me. I really don't believe he would have gone to the expense of sending a telegraph message that would cost in the neighborhood of 42 cents a word. By that I don't mean to imply anything derogatory to Harry, but he wasn't extravagant and he was not stingy, but he was economical, and it is my impression that if he were to correspond with me he would have done so by mail.

"And still I can't believe that Mr. Coe ever said any of the things that are attributed to him. As deeply perplexed now as ever, I will never believe that his going away was other than an insane act until he tells me himself. I still love him and hope to join him when he has recovered his mental equilibrium, for I am sure that his mind has been affected.

Would Go to Alaska

"Would you have answered his telegram if you had received it?"

"Certainly. Such suggestions of trouble between us are positively outrageous. Of course, I would have answered his telegram. Her dark eyes flashing indignantly.

"But would you go to Alaska to join him if such was his desire?"

"Yes, tomorrow, if necessary, and I would bring our little baby, June, too, for I still continue to love him and do not, cannot believe, that he was in the full possession of his senses when he went away, nor do I believe the statements that are attributed to him, or that he can be his normal self now."

No Use to Try and Wear Out Your Cold It Will Wear You Out Instead

Thousands keep on suffering Coughs and Colds through neglect and delay. Why make yourself an easy prey to serious ailments and epidemics as the result of a neglected Cold? Coughs and Colds sap your strength and vitality unless checked in the early stages. Dr. King's New Discovery is what you need—the first dose helps. Your head clears up, you breathe freely and you feel so much better. Buy a bottle today and start taking at once.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

THE FLOWERS' BALL

Once upon a time little May went out in the garden to see the bed of tulips her father had told her were in bloom and, as she walked along looking at them, she thought she heard some one call, "May, May." She stooped down and looked into the heart of a red tulip and there was the tiniest little person she had ever seen all dressed in green.

"Please help me out," the little voice said, "I am stuck fast in some honey the bees left here." "I'll help you, you dear little thing," said May. "I will put my finger down and you take hold of it just as tight as you can and in that way I can pull you out."

Soon the tiny little green elf was out safe and sound on the ground and bowing to May with his pointed green cap in his hand. "Thank you very much. I don't know what I should have done if you hadn't come along, for the sides of the tulip were so smooth I couldn't climb out," he said. "I will ask the queen to send you an invitation to the ball we are going to give very soon if you would like to come for the queen will be very grateful to you for your help when I tell her about it."

"Oh, I would like to come so much," said May. "Please tell her I will for I love fairies and elves."

That night, after May had gone to bed, she saw a lovely little fairy fly in the window and in her hand was a big white lily which she laid on the bed just beside May's hand. "That is your invitation to the ball and you must bring it with you," she said. "Come with me and I will show you the way."

When they reached the garden there were the most beautiful flowers May had ever seen. A tall white lily was dancing with a hollyhock and a pansy was dancing with a big tiger lily, while all of the others were finding partners and dancing as happy as could be. They didn't pay any attention to May and the fairy led her at once to the queen of the flowers who thanked her very prettily for her help that morning.

May sat and looked at the flowers as they danced and thought she had never seen anything more beautiful. At last it was time to go and the fairy took her home and saw that she was tucked up in her little white bed before she flew away. In the morning May told her mother all about her going to the flowers' ball but her mother just kissed her and smiled.

LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 491, of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 41331 on The Central Savings Bank is lost; payment has been stopped and application has been made for payment of the amount.
M4-11-18

GENTS' SUITS

Steam Cleansed and Pressed, $1.00; Suit Pressed, 40c; 4 Suits Pressed, $1.25; Ladies' Suits $1.50.

All kinds of dyeing and repairing.

F. P. LEW, 477 Merrimack St.

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SECOND FLOOR

LAWSON GUILTY

Labor Leader Convicted of Murder and Given Life Sentence

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 4.—The jury yesterday returned a verdict pronouncing John R. Lawson guilty of murder in the first degree, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment, for the killing of John Nimmo, a deputy sheriff, in a battle with strikers at Ludlow, Oct. 25, 1913.

Lawson is a member of the International executive board of the United Mine Workers of America.

Commenting on the verdict, Lawson said:

"They may get me, but they can't defeat the cause of labor. I'm not worrying about myself—it's the fight I have been making for the workingmen that I am interested in—and that will go ahead. Even for me, it's a long way to the penitentiary. My attorneys will not give up until everything possible has been done to save me."

Thirty days were given attorneys for the defense to file a motion for a new trial, and Lawson was released temporarily in custody of his counsel.

Horace N. Hawkins, chief counsel for the defense, said:

"I do not believe the verdict ever will be sustained. It is contrary to the evidence. I shall fight this case as long as there are courts in which to fight."

SUBPENA FOR MORGAN

ISSUED BY SUPREME COURT IN THE WASHINGTON WILL CASE —SUMMER RECESS

WASHINGTON, May 4—J. P. Morgan has been subpenaed by the supreme court to answer the state of Virginia's suit to recover the will of Martha Washington.

The Florida statute making stockholders liable to the extent of unpaid stock subscriptions for unpaid judgments against their corporations, without further suit or order, was annulled yesterday by the court as denial of "due process."

No arguments will be heard in the court after May 14 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 12.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH

The H. W. H. club met last evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Senior, 881 Rogers street, with 20 members present. After a brief business meeting a social time was enjoyed. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. May Allard and Mrs. Charles Clough, 60 Robbins street, for the June meeting.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Office of the Secretary, Boston, April 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given, that, on the seventh day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, Irwin L. Prentiss, of Lowell, was duly licensed and commissioned to be a public warehouseman within and for the city of Lowell; that he has given bond in the sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful discharge of the duties of a public warehouseman, and that he has taken and subscribed the oaths necessary to qualify him for the duties of said office.

ALBERT P. LANGTRY,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah P. Van Tassel, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Annie E. Judd, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of May, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
A20-27-M4

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Francis N. Tobin, of Barre, in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth aforesaid.

You are appointed administrator of the estate of Michael B. Tobin, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and return to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge;

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you;

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court;

To pay any balance remaining in your hands upon the settlement of your accounts, to such persons as said Court shall direct;

To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly approved and allowed;

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, this twenty-third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M4-11-18

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel P. Sperry, of Malden, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Bert Sperry, now of Binghamton, in the State of New York, at Oneonta, in said State of New York, on the twentieth day of February, A. D. 1911, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Bert Sperry lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at North Adams, in our County of Berkshire; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Bert Sperry, being wholly regardless of the same, at said North Adams and elsewhere has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment of your libellant. And being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Bert Sperry.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1915.

ETHEL P. SPERRY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 29, A. D. 1915.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

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COMPLETE SODA FOUNTAIN AND backbar for sale. Also some supplies and electric carbonator. In good order and cheap. Address M 43, Sun Office.

SIX-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; bath and modern conveniences, splendid location; Ware st. Inquire 110 Middlesex st.

JUST VACATED—STEAM HEATED furnished room to let; convenient to bath room; with private family. Apply 19 Fifth st.

STORE TO LET AT 202 MIDDLESEX st., thoroughly equipped for dye house; former tenant in possession 20 years. Inquire of Walter H. Howe.

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SIX-ROOM FLAT, TO LET, BATH room, pantry, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, at the corner of Broadway and Shaffer st., $13.50 per month. Inquire at 85 Willie st., opposite Franklin st., or at music store, 110 Merrimack st.

TENEMENT TO LET, 7 ROOMS pantry and bath on Concord st., near Fort Hill park. Keys at 363 Concord street.

ONE 6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, $10; one 4-room tenement, $8; at 62 Chestnut st. Apply at Flynn's Market, 137 Gorham st.

$16, $19, NEW SIX-ROOM FLATS, without or with steam heat; all modern improvements; quiet neighborhood; one minute from two car lines; 15-25 Orford st., Pawtucketville. Keys at 17 Orford st. Tel. 1353-W.

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LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK FOUND IN CENTRALVILLE, on April 24, 1915, containing a small sum of money. Owner can have the same by calling at 155 Lakeview ave., proving property and paying for the adv.

A DEMOUNTABLE RIM AND TIRE found. Inquire Bon Marche, delivery department.

SUM OF MONEY LOST BETWEEN Moore st. and post office. Reward to finder. Return to H 83, Sun Office.

PAIR OF GOLD STRUNG PEARL rosary beads with name Mary E. Cassidy marked on cross, lost Saturday evening, between Walnut st. and St. Peter's church. Return to 6, rear 24 Walnut st. Reward.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY LOST IN the vicinity of the post office or Central st. Finder write Box Q 61, Sun Office.

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SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG lady; long and wide experience as stenographic secretary in law office; speaks French; good correspondent. Address M 42, Sun Office.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
5.43	6.60	2.55	3.32
6.25	7.26	6.50	6.55
6.47	7.30	7.11	8.24
b6.40	7.53	7.50	8.35
6.57	8.00	a8.21	9.29
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39
z7.28	8.49	9.30	10.03
7.56	8.37	11.31	12.00
8.56	9.37	12.33	1.03
b9.20	10.34	2.40	3.10
9.38	10.18	3.00	3.46
10.14	11.38	b3.46	5.00
11.03	11.45	4.10	4.35
12.16	1.05	a4.14	5.34
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.35
2.30	3.27	b5.21	6.32
3.49	4.20	5.35	6.24
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.14
6.31	6.28	6.14	7.23
b6.17	7.22	8.00	8.38
6.22	7.05	8.30	9.08
8.06	8.50	10.30	11.26
9.46	10.30	11.40	12.36

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.35	7.38	z8.30	8.06
n7.53	8.13	z9.13	10.20
9.39	10.58	10.50	11.53
10.17	12.07	11.50	12.55
12.02	1.18	3.30	4.40
z1.27	2.40	5.14	6.12
3.40	4.41	6.03	7.05
5.15	6.41	7.00	8.15
7.25	8.35	9.59	11.00
10.25	11.28		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.08
8.30	9.36	11.30	12.09
9.05	9.55	1.00	1.59
10.26	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.42	3.25	8.00	8.33
6.10	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.27	7.16	9.20	10.25
8.08	8.50	10.29	11.35
9.46	10.30		

Portland Division

8.20	9.27	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.14	12.55	1.50
3.59	5.06	3.30	4.46
5.45	7.00	5.20	6.38
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.43

b Via Bedford. s Via Salem Jct. z Via Wilmington Jct. n not run on Holidays.

KEY TO FIRE ALARM BOXES

1 All box numbers commencing with the figure one, as 12, 13, etc., up to 131 are located within a radius of about one-half mile from the North common, extending from Dutton street north to Pawtucket street and from School street east to Merrimack mills.

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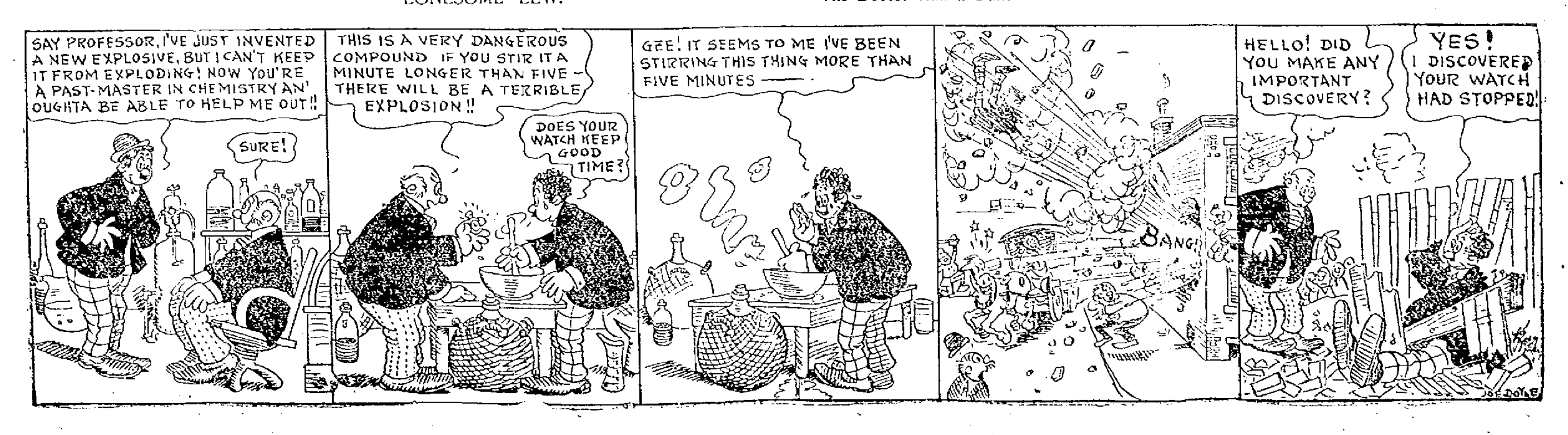

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HE DROPPED DEAD

Councillor W. H. Woods Fatally Stricken at Home in Brighton

BOSTON, May 4.—City Councillor William H. Woods of 19 Union street, Brighton, died suddenly of acute indigestion at his home at 10 o'clock last night.

Death followed his return home from a session of the city council. By a strange coincidence at the meeting he had accused Councillor Coulthurst of attending the sessions when in a condition physically unfit for service.

Councillor Woods has been a resident of Union street, Brighton, for the past 18 years. He was born in Boston 53 years ago.

Many years ago Mr. Woods entered into active politics in Boston. He was a member of the old city council in 1895, and of the house of representatives in 1904. In 1907 he was elected to the old board of aldermen.

Mr. Woods was born in South Boston, and during the larger part of his life lived in that section and in the South Cove district.

MEANS OF EXPANSION

THOUGHTS GROW BY USE OF WORDS—LANGUAGE EXPANDS AND DEVELOPS MIND

The use of language is not limited to the mere communication of ideas. An equally important function is that of the instrumentality of thought. It is not merely its vehicle, but its means of expansion.—Hardly any of our intellectual operations could be carried on without the agency of words. Language is, then, not only the offspring of thought—but its spouse as well. In every process of reasoning words are an essential element. By their means we fashion and embody our ideas.

It is therefore of the highest importance that everyone should acquire the power and habit of expressing himself clearly and correctly. The influence of language on human affairs is beyond computation. It has made history and shaped the destinies of nations. Its place in the lives of individuals is equally as important. Those who possess word-wisdom, or the power of speech, are better equipped for the struggles of life than those whose vocabulary is limited. Fluent, forceful and correct speech has a money value just as surely as mechanical or professional skill.

In this age of a complex civilization the ability to convey ideas with precision is no small equipment. But greater than this is the augmented potentiality of thought. New words enlarge the mental horizon. To speak clearly is to think clearly. The intellect in stretching its boundaries of thought must increase its power of expression by an enlarged vocabulary. A dictionary is therefore a necessity more than ever before. It should be at one's elbow, whether at home, in the office, school, shop or study. For these reasons we have taken great pleasure in placing a good dictionary, such as The New Universities Dictionary within the reach of everyone of our readers. Our coupon, published daily, gives the terms.

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CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business Saturday, May 1.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained at Liggett's pharmacy or from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

FIRE PREVENTION

State Wide Fire Signal Suggested, Four-Four, Used in Schools, Urged

BOSTON, May 4.—Two fours rung on a corridor gong signals fire to the mind of every child in the metropolitan district.

A movement was launched yesterday at the office of Metropolitan Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe to make this fire signal, 4—4, a state-wide fire alarm in every factory, department store, office building and other big blocks where there is an interior fire alarm system in operation.

Yesterday afternoon the special committee of school headmasters, for which Commissioner O'Keefe asked some time ago to study with him the problem of introducing fire prevention into the schools, met with the commissioner in conference at his office.

The result of the conference was the decision to undertake to make 4—4 the fire signal which every man, woman and child in the state will sub-consciously and automatically recognize as the signal that there is a fire in some part of the building, and act accordingly. This decision Commissioner O'Keefe regards as one of the most important steps in the recent development of fire prevention.

The committee which has been working with the fire prevention commissioner is composed of George W. Evans, headmaster of the Charlestown High school, chairman; Frank E. Hobart, headmaster of the Chapman district; Charles E. Haines, headmaster of the Lewis district; Herbert L. Morse, headmaster of the George Putnam district, and Joseph B. Egan, headmaster of the Harvard district.

They argue that since the schools long ago adopted 4—4 as the fire signal and this has become firmly fixed in the minds of the children, the same signal should prevail in every building where there is an alarm system, so that the children as they grow up and go into factories, stores and office buildings will hear the same signal that in their school days sent them to their feet to go through the orderly and expeditious routine of the well-planned fire drill.

TALK ON LUTHER BURBANK

LECTURE AT COLONIAL HALL ON THE GREATEST GRAFTER OF THE AGE

In conjunction with the clean-up and painting campaign, which was inaugurated in this city a short time ago, an illustrated lecture will be given at Colonial hall Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The affair will be under the auspices of the Lowell board of trade and the civic committee of the Middlesex Women's club. The lecturer will be Frederick Boegle of the Luther Burbank farms in California, whose subject will be "Luther Burbank; the Man and His Methods."

AUTO TRUCK BURNED

MACHINE OF WALTER ANDREWS DESTROYED ON LONG POND ROAD YESTERDAY

A one-ton International Harvester truck, owned by Walter Andrews, caught fire on the road to Long pond yesterday afternoon and was totally destroyed despite the efforts of neighbors, who rushed to the blazing machine with buckets of water. The cause of the fire was a back fire in the engine.

FLAG DAY COMMITTEE

SUM OF $150 PLEDGED FOR PURCHASE OF FLAGS—LIVING FLAG DEMONSTRATION

The sum of $150 was pledged by the flag day committee at a meeting held last night, for the purchase of 10,000 flags to be sold by school children and others. It is planned to make the Saturday preceding the observance a sort of "tag" day, when flags will be offered for sale in the streets. The flags will have a white border on three sides which will bear the words, "Memorial Day—Flag Day, Lowell, 1915." It was also voted to have a committee of women visit the public schools for the purpose of selecting children for the living flag demonstration to be given on the South common.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

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The block, located at the corner of Cross and Willie streets, is three stories, slated French roof, consisting of six tenements and store, toilets on each floor, lighted throughout by gas, occupied by good tenants, in good repair and brings a yearly rental of about $726.

The block at 130 Cross street is three story, slated French roof, consisting of four tenements of six rooms each, toilets, gas throughout, occupied by first class tenants and has a yearly rental of about $528.

The lot which is a corner one, has a large frontage on Cross and Willie streets, with a large space between the two blocks. It has an area of about 10,800 square feet.

NOW THEN, MR. SPECULATOR here is a grand proposition which brings in a yearly rental of about $1250, every part being rented to excellent tenants and it is one of the best locations in the city for renting small tenements, it being located so near to many large industries and the fact that it is a corner lot with a large open space between the two blocks, thus giving good light and air to all tenements, is a great advantage and if you are looking for a safe and sound investment, one that will give good returns on money invested here is your opportunity.

Terms of sale: $900 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

For further particulars inquire of the auctioneer who has full charge.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer.

MAHARAJA, INDIAN PRINCE, SHOWING HIS NEW WIFE AND SON THE WONDERS OF AMERICA

MAHARAJAH, HIS LATEST WIFE, and HIS SON

NEW YORK, May 4.—H. H. Farzan Dilbund Raskhul-Itl-kad Daulat-i-Ingilshia, Rajah-i-Rajagan, Ratja Jagatgit Singh Bahadur, maharaja of Kapurthala, grand commander of the Star of India, who visited this country in 1893, is with us again. His highness, who has an income of $3,000,000 a year, 500 servants in the Punjab province, India, where he is permitted to reign in a mild sort of way, and four wives, arrived on the French steamship Patria of the Fabre line. However, he has brought only his last and most beloved wife with him, the maharani of Kapurthala, who was a dancer named Anita Dolgado, half Spanish and half French, now twenty-five years old and handsome. The prince married her in Madrid last year. The potentate, very affable, an Oxford man, with a perfect command of English, boarded the Patria at Gibraltar, the ship being held up for four hours for his highness and his suit of eight. There are with the maharaja and the maharani, who is known officially as her highness Princess Prem Kaur of Kapurthala, the Prince Karimjit Singh of Kapurthala, who is eighteen years old and still in charge of a French governess; secretaries, maids and manservants, and so much baggage, including golf sticks, that the customs agents could not go through it until darkness set in. Most of his diamonds and the maharani's diamonds (she has about $8,000,000 worth) have been left in a safety vault in the Punjab. "There have been many changes here, but one expects big changes," said the ruler. "I wanted my son to see this country. I have come here to renew my acquaintance with America, to travel through it for awhile after a month in Europe. I shall visit Buffalo and Chicago, which I want to see again, and Canada. I may go to the exposition in California and then come back to New York to sail for Europe. I left Bombay in the latter part of March, and I have seen a little news about insurrection and mutiny in India, but the reports are very much exaggerated. There is a little disaffection on the part of a few. As a whole the population of India is very loyal to Great Britain. I have not been at the front, but I have a son fighting for Great Britain in France."

MAYO HEARING MAY 14

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS BROUGHT BY SCRANTON WOMAN AGAINST NEW HAVEN MANUFACTURER

SCRANTON, Pa., May 4.—May 14th was fixed by the court yesterday for hearing the divorce suit of Mrs. Florence Weeks Mayo of this city against Virginius J. Mayo, the New Haven manufacturer, who came into public notice several months ago after the death of his stenographer, Lillian Cook.

The libellant alleges she was married to Mayo at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1891, and that she was his second wife. She claims he deserted her.

CARBUNCLE COSTS LIFE

WORCESTER, May 4.—Walter P. Kramer, 22, a member of the senior class of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and a son of Walter S. Kramer of 26 Sheffield road, Winchester, died this evening at the Memorial hospital of septic poisoning, due to a carbuncle on his neck.

The young man became delirious Saturday and was taken late in the afternoon to the hospital. His condition became rapidly worse and he died at 8.30 o'clock last night.

DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

"For years I have suffered terribly with stomach trouble. I could find no relief. Then, like a blessing from above, I heard of your remedy; sent for it, and after a few treatments am being cured. I am going to tell all my friends of your miraculous remedy."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

DESTROYER LAUNCHED

TUCKER IS ONE OF THE LARGEST VESSELS OF ITS KIND IN THE WORLD

QUINCY, May 4.—The torpedoboat destroyer Tucker, launched at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation today is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

It measures 351 feet over all with a beam of 30 feet ten inches and depth 17 feet and seven inches. The displacement is 1090 tons and the vessel is equipped with a 1700 horsepower engine.

The Tucker is named for Commodore Samuel Tucker, who served in the war of the revolution and of 1812. When John Adams was appointed minister to France he sailed from Quincy in the frigate Boston, of which Commodore Tucker was in command.

Mrs. William Garty of Brookline, a lineal descendant of the commodore, was chosen as sponsor.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

Man in the Moon, Everyday Etiquette and Other Feature Articles for Sun Readers Tomorrow

In a sparkling contribution which will be printed in The Sun tomorrow, "The Man in the Moon" comments on a variety of local affairs. Among other things, he writes of the exhibition of Orson Lowell's drawings at the Whistler house. He also talks of the bowling situation. The article will prove of interest to all readers.

Questions of etiquette regarding dinner parties, cards, invitations, etc., will be answered in a helpful way in "Everyday Etiquette."

"The French Maid" will tell how to clean the gas stove. The morning toilette will be the topic of discussion in "In Milady's Boudoir." The "Sleepy-time Tale" for the children will be "The Princess of the Tower."

ORDER OF BUFFALOES

Plans are completed for the second annual concert and ball of Lowell herd, No. 10, Benevolent Order of Buffaloes to be held in Associate hall Thursday evening.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The executive board of the Young Women's Christian association has chosen Miss Helen Hyndman of Schenectady, N. Y., for the position of general secretary of the local association, to succeed Miss Harriett L. Boutelle. The new secretary will report in September.

Miss Hyndman will be graduated from the Y. W. C. A. National training school in New York city in June and she comes highly recommended. She is a graduate of Smith college in the class of 1908 and afterward served as a volunteer worker for the Schenectady association and later as its president.

GOVERNOR IN ACCIDENT

AUTO SKIDS AT LAWRENCE ALMOST IN WAY OF TRAIN—STOPPED JUST IN TIME

LAWRENCE, May 4—Gov. Walsh's life was in danger for a few moments last night. An automobile on which he had come from Boston with J. Augustus Donovan, chairman of the Lawrence democratic city committee, skidded on wet pavements at the South Lawrence crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad.

A northbound train was speeding on the tracks toward which the machine slewed. The chauffeur's efforts to arrest the car by the brakes were unsuccessful and the train was almost upon the crossing, when the governor's automobile was stopped by the crossing gates.

It was some minutes before Gov. Walsh regained his composure and he was forced to rest before addressing the Young Men's Christian association. Later he spoke to the Knights of Columbus.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Women Should Take Warning

If the statement made at a New York assembly of women, that healthy American women are so rare that they are almost extinct, is true, it is time for the women of America to take warning and look to their health. It may be headaches, backaches, dragging down pains, nervousness, mental depression that are telltale symptoms of some organic derangement for which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—a simple remedy made from roots and herbs—is a specific and may be relied upon to restore women to a healthy normal condition.

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CARMEN'S UNION

Executive Board Points Out the Car Sprinkler Man's Mistake

The executive board of the local Carmen's union has come across with a statement to prove that if Supt. Perry of the American Sprinkler company had given the union what it asked, the American Car Sprinkler company would have been money in pocket.

"Mr. Perry," said the executive spokesman, "was willing to put motormen on front of both sprinklers at $17.64 each, per week; one motorman on the arm (acting as foreman), at $26 a week; one man on arm at $14 a week, and two uniformed conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week, each. The $15.12 represents the pay paid conductors the first year, and as one of the rules of the union is to observe seniority, it could not agree to two first year men on rear end.

"Our proposition was for motormen on the front ends, at $17.64 a week, as agreed to by Mr. Perry, and conductors on the rear end at $17.64 each. We did not have anything to say about the arm men, and Mr. Perry could have continued them at $14 a week.

"If you will go over these figures you will see that our proposition was a better one for Mr. Perry's company than was his own proposition. The term of his contract is 31 weeks and now we will see how much it would have cost the company to have carried out Mr. Perry's suggestion. The pay of two motormen at $17.64 a week, each, for 31 weeks would equal $1,093.68. One man at the arm at $20 a week for 31 weeks, would have earned $620, and one man at $14 a week, $434. Two conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week each would have earned $937.44, and if you add all these sums together you will find that the sum total is $3,085.12, and that's what it would have cost the company under Mr. Perry's suggestion.

"Now we will see what it would have cost the company if our requests had been complied with. We wanted four men at $17.64 each, two motormen and two conductors. For 31 weeks this would total $2,156.36. Two arm men at $14 a week for 31 weeks would figure $868, making a grand total of $3,024.36, or a saving for the company of $60.76 as compared with what Mr. Perry said he was willing to do."

BOMB EXPLODED

Bronxborough Hall Badly Damaged—Two Men Hurled 20 Feet

NEW YORK, May 4.—A powerful dynamite bomb exploded in the Bronx borough hall last night, badly damaging that building only a short time before a meeting of tax payers was to have been held there. Only five persons were in the building. Although two of them were thrown 20 feet, neither was injured. The first floor of the building occupied chiefly by the bureau of highways was wrecked and the structure was so badly damaged that it was closed.

Two foreigners were arrested near the scene shortly after the explosion and taken to police headquarters for examination.

Borough President Douglas Mathewson's personal attendant and a consulting engineer were in the president's office when the explosion occurred directly under it and they were hurled the length of the room.

The authorities expressed the opinion that the perpetrators of last night's crime are the same ones who last November exploded a bomb near the Bronx courthouse just as Judge L. D. Gibbs of Bronx county was leaving the building. No one was injured, but much damage was done to the court house and surrounding property. Judge Gibbs at that time declared he believed the motive to be revenge sought by friends of white slavers, who had been sentenced by his court.

TRIAL OF $3000,000 SUIT

ACTION BEGUN IN THE DAMAGES CASE AGAINST B. & M. IN WHICH FIRE IS BLAMED TO A SPARK

BOSTON, May 4.—In the Middlesex superior civil court yesterday, before Judge Stevens and a jury, the trial of the $300,000 suit for damages against the Boston & Maine railroad, brought by the Converse Rubber company of Malden, was begun. The Rubber company alleges that a spark from one of the defendant's locomotives set fire to the company's storehouse Feb. 2, 1911, causing considerable damage.

L. H. S. BATTALION NIGHT

Three Companies Will Go Through the Maneuvers on Next Friday Evening—Full Military Regalia

The first "Battalion Night" under the auspices of the Lowell high school regiment will be held at the school armory on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. Owing to the inadequacy of the drill headquarters for the holding of regimental maneuvers, Companies A, G and I have been selected to go through maneuvers. The privates will be in full military regalia.

LIFE SAVING CLASSES

Forty-one members of the local Y. M. C. A. have registered in the new life saving classes which hold sessions as follows:

Seniors, Monday evenings at 9 o'clock; students, Friday afternoons; juniors, Saturday mornings, and employed boys, Saturday afternoons. The course of work given in these classes prepares the men enrolled for the international life saving examinations which will be held here on May 20, 21 and 22.

WOMEN'S MEETING POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, which was scheduled to be held at Marion during the week of June 7, has been postponed to June 24 and 25.

TROLLEY STRIKE

Wood Says, 'Settlement Soon in Sight,' at Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, May 4.—Conferences between the Trolleymen's union, the state board of arbitration and officials of the Springfield Street Railway company, held all day yesterday up to midnight, resulted in no settlement of the trouble between the company and employes.

Three proposals for peace offered by the union have been rejected and a fourth will be considered at a conference of company officials this morning at 10 o'clock. One proposal made by the company has been rejected by the trolleymen.

Pending further conferences the public investigation called for today has been postponed until tomorrow.

In a statement given out by Charles G. Wood of the state board early this morning he said:

"Every conference and each proposal brings the men nearer rockbottom. A settlement soon is in sight."

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JUMPED FOR HER LIFE

MISS KATHERINE COLBURN OF DEDHAM JUMPED FROM BACK OF RUNAWAY HORSE

DEDHAM, May 4.—How Miss Katherine Colburn, a young woman of this town, was carried four miles over the Blue Hills on the back of a badly frightened runaway horse Sunday, finally jumping off and receiving serious injuries, became known yesterday.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Henry B. Endicott, whose husband is Henry B. Endicott, the millionaire shoe manufacturer. She is widely known for her love of horses and as a driver and rider. Recently she purchased a Kentucky racer and planned to enter the thoroughbred in the Brookline Country club races on June 17.

Sunday she took the animal out for the first time. It behaved well from the time of leaving Miss Colburn's home on East street until the bridle path in the Blue Hills was reached. When well into the path the animal became frightened and bolted off the path and up the hill.

Miss Colburn exerted all her power to master the animal, to no avail. The horse continued at breakneck speed up the long slope of Blue Hill, Miss Colburn every moment expecting to be thrown off.

The top of the ridge reached, the animal continued down the opposite side, Miss Colburn's predicament here being increased by fear the horse would stumble.

When more than half way down the hill, Miss Colburn thought it best to throw herself off the animal's back. She landed heavily on a spot free from stumps and stones, but received a severe injury to her left knee.

The horse continued its run until halted by a mounted Metropolitan park policeman near the stable at the foot of the hill. After taking the horse into the stable, the officer searched for the owner and found Miss Colburn walking, her clothing torn and blood flowing from a serious cut in her knee.

He carried her to the emergency room of the Metropolitan police station nearby and a physician was called, who found it necessary to take 15 stitches in the cut. Numerous bruises were sustained about the arms and body.

At her home last night Miss Colburn was comfortable, but she will not be able to be about for some days to come.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives who by words of sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten our burden of sorrow in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary E. Tighe. We assure all that their kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. Philip Tighe and family.

JITNEYS FORCE TAX REDUCTION

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The federal trustees of the Rhode Island company last night petitioned the common council, asking the city to reduce the company's franchise tax from 5 to 1 per cent, because of the serious inroads that the motor buses have made upon the receipts of the company, which is a subsidiary of the New Haven railroad, said yesterday that about $100,000 in nickels which would ordinarily go to his company have been diverted to the motor buses during March and April. In the opinion of the railway officials the situation is serious.

A WOMAN'S CHARM

Beautiful hair, fluffy, lustrous, abundant and free from dandruff, is one of woman's greatest charms—it's her main delight—yet many who would be most attractive but for their streaked, thin and lifeless hair, think there is no remedy and that pretty hair is a gift of nature. Beautiful hair is always a matter of care and proper nourishment of the hair roots.

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ROOSEVELT AND BARNES ON THE WITNESS STAND

Large Crowd in Courtroom to Hear Principals in $50,000 Libel Suit—Platt Letters to be Read

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—The prospect of seeing both Theodore Roosevelt and William Barnes upon the witness stand in the trial of the latter's $50,000 libel suit against Colonel Roosevelt drew to the courthouse today a crowd fully as large as that which gathered when the former president first went on the stand.

Although counsel for the defense intimated that they would not question the colonel at any great length, W. M. Ivins, chief counsel for Mr. Barnes was said to be ready to put the colonel through an extended cross examination. Before court opened there was much speculation as to whether Justice William S. Andrews would permit Mr. Barnes as a witness for the defense to be questioned further than was necessary to properly identify the stock, minute and other books of the Albany Journal company which have been in his custody. Mr. Barnes was instructed to produce the books yesterday after the secretary-treasurer of the corporation had testified that they were in his possession.

Edward T. Platt, son of the late United States senator, Thomas C. Platt, was ready today to produce 12 or 14 letters selected from a large number brought here in answer to a subpoena served upon him on behalf of Colonel Roosevelt. After the Roosevelt attorneys went over the great mass of correspondence they decided, however, that all except the number stated were valueless to their case.

Franklin Roosevelt Testifies

Franklin D. Roosevelt, former state senator and now assistant secretary of the navy arrived here today in answer to a summons from the Roosevelt counsel. Mr. Roosevelt was to testify regarding a deadlock in the senate which ultimately resulted in selecting James A. O'Gorman to represent the state of New York in the United States senate. Mr. Roosevelt, a democrat, was the leader of an insurgent movement in the state senate at that time.

William Lyon of the J. B. Lyon company of Albany was recalled after a conference between counsel and Justice Andrews. He said he had the stubs of checks from 1910 to 1914 but had been unable to find any stubs of earlier date.

This minute book was the same as that referred to yesterday by Charles M. Winchester of the Lyon company.

Mr. Winchester was recalled after Mr. Lyon was excused. He produced the cost book of the Lyon company which was asked for yesterday.

Mr. Winchester was asked to tell the court of a particular job of printing done in 1909. He said it would be a tremendous undertaking to compute the cost without the 1909 cost books. He was told to get them and return to the court this afternoon.

ALLIED TROOPS 33 MILES FROM SMYRNA

Bombardment of Smyrna Resumed—Battle Near Ypres—Another British Ship Lost—Germans Attempt to Keep Italy Out of the War—How Austrians Defeated Russians

Invasion of Turkish territory on the mainland in Asia is reported officially to have been begun by the allied forces. An Athens despatch says that troops were landed at a point 35 miles from Smyrna. It is also said the bombardment of Smyrna has been resumed and that the shelling of the Turkish forts at the Dardanelles continues.

German Attack Near Ypres

The official French report of today states that another attack on the British positions near Ypres, Belgium, was made yesterday by the Germans. The attack, it is said, was driven back. The French war office also announces that ground was gained as the result of an assault on German positions in the Argonne near Bagatelle.

Cost of the War

The cost of a year or more of war to Great Britain was estimated by David Lloyd George in presenting the budget to the house of commons at $5,682,170,000.

Another British Steamer Sunk

The new submarine campaign of the Germans is being prosecuted with undiminished activity. The British steamer Minterne with a cargo of coal for the River Platt was attacked off Scilly islands with the loss of two lives.

Investigate Sinking of U. S. Ship

The American embassy at London has arranged for an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight for the purpose of making a report to Washington.

Try to Keep Italy Neutral

Italy has postponed again her decision concerning participation in the war. Rome despatches say that new offers have been presented on behalf of Austria in an effort to satisfy Italy's territorial demands.

King Victor Emmanuel's decision not to attend the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument is regarded as indicating that no warlike action will be taken in the immediate future, for it was the opinion in Rome that his presence on this occasion would have been equivalent to a declaration of war on Austria. Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador is credited with having averted a crisis by presenting the new offers.

Information from Vienna which the Austrian military authorities are now willing to have known shows that the sudden attack on the Russians in western Galicia was the result of an elaborate plan made by the German and Austrian military chiefs several weeks ago. A large army of fresh Austrian and German troops was concentrated before Cracow for the attack.

German Claims Exaggerated

Unofficial advices from Russian sources assert that the German claims of victory are exaggerated, although it is admitted the movement was an important one. The Russian war office has had little to say concerning this situation further than to state that violent fighting has taken place. A London despatch concedes that if it is true the Russian front has been pierced the war will be prolonged greatly.

Austrians Attack Montenegrins

Simultaneously with the new attack on the Russian front Austria has resumed operations against Montenegro, after a lull over the greater part of the winter. An official Montenegrin statement says Austrian attacks all along the front were repulsed. At Berlin it is said a new Austrian army has been prepared to resume the campaign against Serbia.

Fighting in Dardanelles

Little news comes from the Dardanelles. One unofficial despatch says fierce fighting is proceeding day and night. It is reported the Turks have suffered heavily and that their most important defenses are now invested, but such reports as come from Constantinople continue to present an optimistic view of the situation.

NINE VESSELS TORPEDOED BY GERMAN SUBMARINES IN THREE DAYS

Nine steamships, five of them of neutral registry, and four trawlers, a total of 13 vessels, have been torpedoed by German submarines in the last three days, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Of the neutral ships, three were Norwegian, one Swedish and one American. All four trawlers were British owned.

The list is as follows:

Svorono, Russian, 2000 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the west coast of Ireland.

Edale, British, 3110 tons, torpedoed on Saturday, locality unknown.

Europe, French, 2899 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the Scilly Islands.

Fulgent, British, 1202 tons, torpedoed off Skelling rocks on Saturday. One lifeboat known to have been filled with men missing.

Laila, Norwegian, 753 tons, torpedoed on Saturday in the North sea.

British trawler destroyed on Sunday, name and scene of attack unknown.

Gulflight, American, 3202 tons, torpedoed on Sunday off the Scilly Islands. Two sailors drowned, and the captain dead from heart failure.

Sunray, British trawler, torpedoed on Sunday 60 miles northeast of the Tyne.

Ellide, Swedish, 594 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

America, Norwegian, 3830 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Baldwin, Norwegian, 1130 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Mercury, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

Mark Ban, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

AUSTRIAN ADVANCE AT CIEZKOW ICE IN THE CARPATHIANS CHECKED

LONDON, May 4.—A Petrograd despatch to the Times dated Monday says:

"The Austrian advance at Ciezkowice in the Carpathians, although checked is deemed to be highly sympatomatic. Ciezkowice is situated on the Donajec near Gorlice and Tarnow on the roads from Tymbark to Cracow and the enemy's movements here are of no less importance than at Stry and other sections of our front.

"The Austrians have concentrated here very considerable and entirely fresh reinforcements from the interior. Their advance was facilitated by the open character of the terrain, which is admirably adapted to fighting. The enemy set himself the task not only of dislodging us from the line of the Donajec but of influencing our position on the lower Nida."

REPORTED RUSSIAN DEFEAT TOOK PRECEDENCE OVER OTHER NEWS

LONDON, May 4.—The reported Russian reverse in western Galicia took precedence over all other phases of the war today and even overshadowed discussion of the forthcoming budget. Striking an average between Austrian and German accounts London newspapers agree that the Russians must have been pushed back a considerable distance along this front, which runs north and south a distance of about 60 miles from the Carpathians above Bartfeld to the junction of the Dunajec and Vistula rivers on the border of Russian Poland.

Petrograd expresses little concern over the situation, although admitting that the Austro-German forces are making strong attacks along the front on which they claim a great victory.

German official advices concerning operations on the western front confirm the French and British reports of attacks by the invaders on St. Julien, but nothing is said about the assertion of the allies that hill number 80 is again the object of the German offensive.

No further official news has been received from the allies concerning the Dardanelles operations, but publication of a long list of casualties gives ample evidence of the stubborn opposition with which the Turks met the landing of troops.

Russia is again co-operating in the attack on Constantinople by renewing bombardment of the Bosphorus forts.

Italy is occupying the center of the diplomatic stage, but there is little in the way of authentic news from Rome. Latest information is that negotiations between Italy and Austria after being broken off as the result of a deadlock have once more been resumed.

The crisis in the Chino-Japanese negotiations is attracting much attention here. The press discusses the controversy with reserve, although this attitude does not conceal the fact that there is considerable uneasiness over the situation in the far east.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE OFF GALLOPER LIGHTSHIP

BERLIN, May 4.—The German admiralty has issued an announcement setting forth that on May 1 a German submarine sunk the British torpedoboat destroyer Recruit in the neighborhood of the Galloper lightship.

On the same day near the North

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CEMETERY COMMISSION NAMED BY THE MAYOR

Five Prominent Citizens Chosen to New Board—Council Wrestles With Cement Contracts

At the regular meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon, the mayor read his appointments to the new cemetery commission as follows: John L. Robertson, 5 years; John A. Osgood, 4 years; Simon B. Harris, 3 years; William H. Rigby, 2 years, and George H. Taylor, 1 year. It is understood that all of the appointees own lots in the Edson cemetery.

The proposals for cement for sewers and streets raised some ructions and were debated for two hours or more. The cement proposals included those of D. T. Sullivan and E. A. Wilson. The Wilson proposal was thrown out and the Sullivan proposal was accepted.

The Meeting

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.20 with all members present. The first business had to do with garage and gasoline licenses which were referred to Commissioner Carmichael and the chief of the fire department.

Petitions by the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for pole locations and conduits in connection with the white way, were slated for a hearing May 18.

The petition of Rev. Charles J. Galligan for the relocation of an electric light in Stevens street was ordered for a hearing May 18.

Claims for personal injuries were referred as were minor petitions having to do with lights, streets and sidewalks.

Relocation of Tracks

The order for the relocation of the tracks of the street railway company in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets was read and adopted.

A report relative to a sewer in Upham street was read and the order providing for it was adopted.

An order to change a portion of the lines in Rogers and Fairmount streets and widen said streets was adopted.

An order for the seizure of land at the corner of Rogers and Nesmith streets, to facilitate travel, the property of the William Spalding heirs, was adopted.

An order for the abatement of a sidewalk assessment at 55 Starbird street, amounting to $21.78, was adopted.

The petition of Margaret F. Carney for a sidewalk in Pine street took the usual course.

Commissioner Putnam was authorized to pay Charles P. Conant $400, and Ira P. Hersey, $200 in connection with fire loss adjustment at Memorial hall.

The Sign Question

George W. Morrison appeared before the council for the purpose of urging the advisability of making awning companies and persons who make a business of erecting signs give the city a bond of $1000 and supply liability accident insurance.

Mr. Morrison thought that if a person was injured by a falling sign in the street the city would be liable, but Mayor Murphy and Commissioners Duncan and Carmichael did not quite agree with him. They allowed the city would not be held responsible unless the case was one where a sign had been in a dangerous condition sufficiently long for the authorities to have had knowledge of the fact.

Commissioner Duncan said that an ordinance covering signs had been in effect here for years, but the trouble is it hasn't been enforced.

Mr. Morrison said that Boston decorators and sign men could come here and do what they wanted; swing a sign in any old shape or put it in any old place, but former Commissioner Cummings, who was seated at the reporters' table took exception to the statement.

"They are not allowed to do anything they want, because I stopped them. I required all of them to have permits," said Mr. Cummings.

Paving Block Contracts

The mayor read a communication from Louis P. Palmer & Sons relative to paving blocks and objecting to the treatment given him, especially because of the fact that he had 6000 linear feet of edgestones out of a contract for about 10,000 feet left on his hands, and understood that a contract for edgestones had been recently made with another concern.

The communication rather roiled Charlie Morse who said he would take Palmer & Sons' edgestones off their hands, but he suggested that he didn't want to be interfered with by every Tom, Dick and Harry.

Approval of Contracts

The council did not approve the contract executed by the purchasing agent and the H. E. Fletcher Co., of West Chelmsford for 10,000 feet, more or less, of granite edgestones, and 500 feet, more or less of circle stone; the contract referred to in the Palmer communication.

Contracts approved included one with Edward Cawley for the furnishing of a supply of vitrified sewer pipe; the Franklin Forestry company of Boston for 15,000 white pine trees, three-year transplants on a lot of land on Pawtucket boulevard. The contracts for Portland cement, the alleged award of which was objected to by Mr. Cawley, was productive of some discussion. The contracts as prepared by the purchasing agent with E. A. Wilson & Co., for 500 barrels and Daniel T. Sullivan for 5800 barrels, was before the council. Com. Carmichael suggested that new specifications be drawn up. "Mr. Cawley," said Mr. Carmichael, "states that he will furnish the cement asked for, and in his proposal he agrees to furnish it according to the specifications. His bid is more than $1200 less than contemporary bidders."

City Solicitor Hennessey was called in and said that in his opinion, Mr. Cawley did not live up to the spirit and letter of the specifications.

Commissioner Duncan said that in order for Mr. Cawley to keep within his proposal he would have to deliver either one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

It was shown by the records that in 1913 D. T. Sullivan neglected to mention a particular brand of cement and that his bid was thrown out in favor of Mr. Cawley, the latter being granted the contract.

Mayor Murphy said that what Mr. Cawley was willing to do now, had nothing to do with the question. "Has he adhered to the specifications? That said the mayor, is the question."

Purchasing Agent Foye

Purchasing Agent Foye had made a statement in defence of his own position as attacked, he said, by an advertisement appearing in a morning paper, signed by Mr. Cawley, and addressed to the public.

Mr. Foye explained that five brands of Portland cement had been named in the specifications and that Mr. Cawley did not mention any one of the five brands in his bid, but simply mentioned Portland cement. "I consulted with the city solicitor," said Mr Foye, "and he told me he thought if the contract was awarded Mr. Cawley it would be impossible to exact from him any one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

"I was immaterial to me as to whom the contract would be awarded, but it was my duty to protect the city's interests. There was no drive against Mr. Cawley as one might gather by reading the advertisement in the morning paper. He has been bidding on similar contracts for a great many years and he knows what is required."

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TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

PRES. WILSON REFRAINED FROM COMMENT ON WRECKING OF THE STEAMER GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 4.—President Wilson refrained from comment today on the wrecking of the American steamer Gulflight by a German torpedo, pending receipt of advices on all the facts and circumstances. The president said he expected a full report from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, as well as from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin.

When asked concerning the case of Leon C. Thresher, an American drowned when the British steamer Falaba was sunk by a German submarine, President Wilson revealed that no representations have as yet been made to Germany, but that probably it would be treated with the other cases that had arisen, for in his opinion they all seemed a part of the war zone circumstances.

Early today the president and Secretary Bryan conferred at length, but it was said they did not discuss any line of policy in the war zone cases, deferring that until a complete investigation of the Gulflight incident had been made.

AMERICAN EMBASSY INVESTIGATES

LONDON, May 4.—The American embassy began today an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight. An examination of the ship as well as of the crew will be made. It is probable that the inquiry will be carried on principally at Plymouth, where the crew landed.

The investigation will be conducted as expeditiously as possible so that no time may be lost in transmitting the report to Washington.

The London afternoon papers comment only in the briefest manner on the Gulflight incident. The Westminster Gazette asks whether President Wilson will make good his words of February and hold the German government to strict accountability.

ATTEMPT TO KILL VILLA

COLONEL OLIVAS OF VILLA'S STAFF FIRED THREE SHOTS AT LEADER—TWO TOOK EFFECT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 4.—An attempt to kill General Villa was made by Colonel Olivas of his staff, according to news received today from Chihuahua dated May 1. It was said three shots were fired and Villa was wounded twice but not dangerously. Olivas was killed by his brother officers. It was said the trouble followed reduction of Olivas to the ranks for insubordination.

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CARMAN TRIAL

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 4.—One hundred additional talesmen from whose numbers more jurors were to be chosen to try Mrs. Florence Carman for the murder of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey last June were in the supreme courtroom today when the trial was resumed. Five jurors had been selected in the first day's session. It was expected, however, that the jurybox would be filled today.

Mrs. Carman spent the night locked up in the jail. Her active part in the selection of the jury is one of the chief features of her second trial. In the first trial she had little to say about the choice of jurors, but this time she seems to be in charge of this part of her case and her three attorneys defer to her judgment.

Before court opened District Attorney Smith said the chief new evidence he had related to the hour of the shooting. It was the contention of the defense in the first trial that Mrs. Bailey was shot about eight o'clock in the evening and that the unseen assailant escaped in the dark. Mr. Smith said that he would produce witnesses to prove that the shooting occurred about 7 o'clock when it was still light. The Freeport police were notified about nine o'clock.

Ten jurors were in the box when court adjourned for the luncheon recess.

CASE OF TYPHUS FEVER

SECOND TO REACH NEW YORK WITHIN A WEEK FOUND ABOARD CUNARD LINER

NEW YORK, May 4.—The second case of typhus fever to reach this port within a week was found today aboard the Cunard liner Carpathia upon her arrival from Mediterranean ports. The victim, a steerage passenger, was removed to the Swinburne island hospital for treatment.

The entire steerage, it was said, would have to be fumigated before the ship could be released.

The Carpathia sailed from Naples, Genoa and Piraeus. She stopped at Gibraltar on the way.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the automobile truck of Walter Andrews totally destroyed by fire near Long Pond, Dracut, yesterday.

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BOY WENT TO WAR

Lowell Young Man Not Aware of His Mother's Death in This City

A Lowell boy, James Alliette, 19 years of age, son of Delphis Alliette of 81 Ford street, is now in France, fighting for the British colors, and is not aware of the fact that his mother is dead and was buried yesterday, and he will not hear the sad news for probably another week.

The young man enlisted in the 22d Canadian Royal regiment last October and sailed about three weeks ago. He is a drummer in the band. When volunteers were called for in Canada to form the 22d regiment, Alliette, who resided in this city, asked his father's consent to go to the Dominion and enlist in the army and it was only after considerable coaxing that the father gave his consent.

James left this city in October and went to Montreal, Que., where he enrolled as a drummer. From Montreal he was assigned to the camp at St. Jean, Que., and a couple of months ago the regiment removed to Amherst, N. S. The young man wrote a letter to his mother every week and three weeks ago when the last letter was written, he told his mother not to write to him for he was sailing for France and could not give his address. However, he promised his mother he would write her as soon as he reached France.

Mrs. Alliette became ill a few days ago and was removed to the hospital, where after undergoing two operations she passed away Friday of last week. Her funeral took place yesterday morning.

Mr. Delphis Alliette in conversation with a reporter of The Sun this morning said he is longing to receive news from his son. He said he fears he was in the regiment which was almost completely wiped out in a recent battle near the Ypres. He said the boy wrote every week and he fails to see why he is neglecting to do so now unless something has happened to him. The father sent a letter to his son, informing him of the death of his mother, and has addressed it to the 22d Royal regiment, Amherst, N. S., and he believes the Canadian authorities will see that the letter is delivered in Europe.

WANTED

Young man to assist in amateur photography, some experience preferred. State particulars in reply. References. Write K, 83 Sun Office.

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MURDER CHARGE

Witnesses Say Wife Said, "I Killed My Husband With Stick

WISCASSET, Me., May 4.—"I killed my husband. I had been playing on the organ and went out and picked up a stick of wood and I struck him on the head. He never breathed nor moved afterward."

Edwin and Byron French, prominent citizens of Somerville, will testify that this statement was made voluntarily to them several days after the death of Fred T. Hisler at Somerville on Feb. 7, by his wife who was placed on trial in the supreme court today for the charge of murder, according to the opening address by County Attorney James B. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor.

Attorney Perkins also said he would attempt to prove that Mrs. Hisler had admitted her guilt to other persons and that she previously had threatened to take her husband's life by "beating out his brains" and by "cutting his heart out." The state contends that the alleged motive was jealousy. Mrs. Hisler is past 50. Her husband was about 30.

The state will try to show that she told conflicting stories about the circumstances of his death, first stating he was taken sick out of doors and entered the house, then saying that he became ill while in the house.

Except for two abrasions on the right temple nothing was found at the autopsy to indicate the cause of death, nor was there any trace of poison revealed by an anaylsis of the contents of the stomach and kidneys at Bowdoin college, according to the county attorney.

Three of the 12 witnesse called by the state had been examined when the noon recess was taken. The trial probably will not be finished before Thursday.

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OWLS NOTICE!

Meeting of the Lowell Nest of Owls at Elks Hall, Wednesday Evening, May 5, 1915, at 7.45 P. M. All members are requested to attend.

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ITALY ON BRINK OF WAR

King and Ministers Cannot Leave Capital to Attend Unveiling of Garibaldi Monument

ROME, May 4—In view of the international situation the king and his ministers cannot leave the capital to be present at the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument at Quarto Sant 'Elena, was the text of a note issued after the meeting of the cabinet yesterday. Its publication produced a profound effect upon public opinion.

Abandonment of the plan for the participation of King Victor Emmanuel and high government officials in the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling is believed to have been the result of the call made by Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador upon Foreign Minister Sonnino Sunday night. The details of this conference are supposed to have been presented at the meeting of the cabinet, the call for which was not issued until yesterday morning. The ministers assembled nine hours later and the council lasted four hours.

Immediately after the council closed Baron Sonnino, who had called upon the king before the session opened, went to the consulate, where the first secretary of the German embassy awaited him. After receiving a verbal communication from the baron, the secretary hastened to the villa Malta, the private residence of Prince Von Buelow, while Foreign Minister Sonnino called upon the king for a second time.

The censors have forbidden the transmission of all comment upon yesterday's events. Correspondents are permitted to say, however, that Prince Von Buelow made new proposals Sunday night to Baron Sonnino, which were submitted to the cabinet ministers, who will hold another council today.

The press is unanimous in declaring the abandonment of the king's trip to Quarto has in no way altered the government's decisions. A semi-official note couched in vague general terms says:

"Italy's attitude cannot undergo any change from the king's not going to Quarto."

It is recalled that when committees arranging for the dedication of the monument called upon his majesty to invite him to be present at the ceremonies he answered: "I shall go if reasons of state do not prevent me."

An official of the foreign office is reported to have stated that the government's decision was due entirely to the situation in Tripoli, where "Italy might be forced to extreme measures to protect our colony where German agents are fomenting rebellion."

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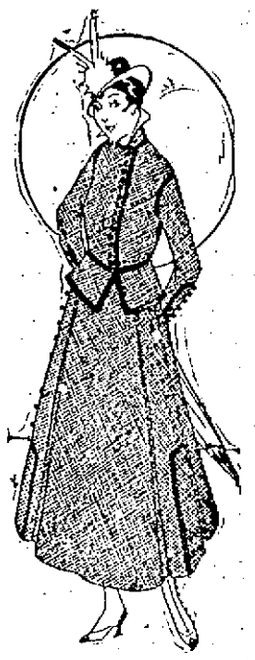

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A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The accounts of dances held quarter of a century ago are interesting for many reasons, not the least being that they give the younger generation an idea as to who was who on the waxed floor before the days of the tango, and often one reads a familiar name, among the dancers of days gone by, the owner of which today has unmistakeable kinks in his walk, as though he had never pivotted on the polished surface until a hole in the floor began to appear and then went home to hum the "Blue Danube" in his sleep. Of course I mean nothing personal in publishing in connection with the foregoing the old Sun's report of the annual ball of the Burke Temperance society of quarter of a century ago.

The old Sun said:

"The sixth anniversary ball given by the Burke Temperance society in Huntington hall, last evening, was one of the most successful in the history of the society. The hall was uncomfortably thronged, 1500 being a low estimate of the number present. Prior to the ball which was complimentary to the members, 92 new members were received into the society. The American orchestra furnished music for a dance order of 24 numbers and gave a concert program from 8 till 9. Over 300 couples took part in the march and there would have been more had there been room. It was led by Floor Director James J. Redmond and Miss Lottie Donahue followed by James F. Miskella and sister. There were many invited guests, among them being His Honor, Mayor Palmer, James O'Sullivan, of St. Patrick's Temperance society; M. J. Lynch, of the Mathews, J. B. O'Connor, of St. Peter's; R. J. Walsh, of the Crescents; William H. Stafford, of Court Merrimack, F. of A., M. F. Conley, of Court General Shields; J. H. Sheehan, of Court Middlesex; E. F. Slattery, of Court City of Lowell and Thomas Daly, of the Neptunes. Among the guests from out of town were: Miss Wagstaff, Miss Creighton and Miss Dacey, of Lawrence; Messrs. Henry Flanagan, Thomas E. Barry, F. J. Morris, John A. McGrath; James O'Connor, William Morris, Timothy Callaghan, Stephen Flanagan, William Dempsey, Luke Larter, and John A. O'Brien, of the Young Men's Temperance society of Lawrence; Messrs. Wm. Quigley, Jas. W. Ward, Henry McKeon and T. J. Lyons, of St. John's Temperance society, North Chelmsford; J. W. Conway, Timothy Mahoney and William Powers, of North Billerica; John Keane, of the Fr. Mathews of Lawrence; and a large delegation from Lynn. Supper was served by Page & Nunn. The following were the officers: Floor director, James J. Redmond, assistant, Richard J. Lynn; aids, T. F. Clark, J. Liston; J. Breen, J. Lacey, J. J. O'Connor, J. F. McManus, J. F. McGarrahan, J. Daily; general manager, James F. Miskella; assistant, John F. McLoughlin; reception committee, F. J. O'Hare, Thomas Cox, James A. Mahar, J. H. Gormley, J. McGuinness, E. W. Kelly, W. Dwyer, W. H. Stafford, F. J. Dowd, J. Winn, J. Murphy, J. McVey, J. E. Sexton and J. McCaffrey, secretary."

What Mrs. Miller Advocated

I am not an expert on women's wearing apparel but I will venture a wager that Mrs. Jenness Miller, who lectured here quarter of a century ago on dress reform didn't make many converts in this city. Mrs. Miller's lecture was reported in the old Sun as follows: "Mrs. Jenness Miller lectured in the Opera House last evening on the subject of dress reform. She prefaced her discourse with remarks on the necessity of physical development among women. The object of dress, she said, is to cover the body with harmony and without ligatures or bands. She condemned the use of corsets as injurious. The Jenness Miller system of dress (according to the old Sun), consists first of an undergarment made of various materials, fitting the form perfectly. Over this garment, women who need support wear a boned waist. The next garment is one coming down to, or a little below the knee, fitting closely at the waist. Over this is worn a divided skirt which is so full that one casually looking at it would not realize that it is so different from the ordinary one. The advantage of this skirt is that it reduces the resistance in walking, is lighter and enables the wearer to have more freedom of movement than at present."

As far as I can remember the Miller make-up didn't become popular in Lowell.

A Monster Attachment

One of the largest attachments ever placed in Lowell was that of $1,000,000 against the Lowell machine shop 25 years ago. The suit was brought by the heirs of John F. Fosdick, for an infringement on a patent loom invented by Mr. Fosdick. The company admitted having used the patent but took it up 12 years after the original patent had expired.

More Silver Jubilees

There's a silver jubilee at the Vesper club due next Saturday to several well known men of this city, for The Sun of quarter of a century ago had the following:

"A regular meeting of the Vesper Boat club was held Thursday evening, (May 8) when the following new members were admitted: Edward F. Staples, Julian Clark Hood, William D. Rundlett, Walter C. Wright, H. Fordyce Coburn, Fred W. Coburn, John H. Fuller, Harry L. Standley, Arthur D. Pickering; non-residents, Harry G. Bixby, Nashua; and George A. Clay, Waltham.

Joined National Organization

It's just 25 years since the local letter carriers joined the national organization, having themselves at that time but recently organized.

The old Sun said:

"The local letter carriers have joined the national association and have elected the following officers: E. A. Howe, president; John L. Marren, vice-president; Frederick Taylor, secretary; John J. Donnelly, treasurer; T. J. McNabb, D. Crowley, J. Sullivan, Thomas Duffy and C. Holden, board of government. This branch will be known as association 25. Meetings will be held monthly. A national convention will be held in Boston in August."

Dan Cosgrove Assaulted

Don't become alarmed. This happened quarter of a century ago and the victim entirely recovered. The old Sun had the following disquieting item, 25 years ago:

"Daniel Cosgrove was assaulted by roughs in Appleton street last evening. Two of them were subsequently arrested."

They must have been rough-necks, indeed, to assault a man of peace like Daniel. Those were the days before Daniel entered politics. Since that time he has been in many a lively political assault, generally coming through with flying colors.

Different From The Old Days

In yesterday's papers we read of the superintendent of police and others following the boulevards in the new police auto Sunday on the trail of speeding joy-riders. How different from quarter of a century ago when the old Sun had the following:

"Already some Lowell youths have been hauled up by the Lawrence police for fast driving in that city. They went there for a drink, imbibed too freely and paid heavy fines in the police court next day."

Twenty-five years ago everybody didn't wear a Ford runabout on his watch chain, and the young man who had the inclination and the price to go joy-riding considered himself lucky to be able to hire a horse and buggy, and the favorite drive in those days was down the Lawrence road to the down-river city. The test of a horse long ago was the speed with which it could negotiate the distance between here and Lawrence, and I believe it was Ed. Conant, the famous auctioneer, then a lover of and authority on horses, who originated the statement that a horse that couldn't make Lawrence inside of an hour was no good. As Lowell was a no-license city quarter of a century ago, the fact that the young men in question took the long ride, for a drink, is not surprising. The ride to Lawrence was considered a sufficient stunt for a horse in those days, while now the distance is covered in a twinkling, comparatively, by auto.

Moody School Flag

Says the old Sun:

"The American flag presented by the descendants of Paul Moody to the Moody school, which was named in his honor, was hoisted over the building on Wednesday."

There are probably hundreds of graduates of the Moody school, as well as hundreds who frequent Moody street who have never given a second thought as to the identity of Paul Moody, after whom these were named. Of course, Lowell is named after Francis Cabot Lowell, who introduced the manufacture of cotton in this country and city, but at the outset Mr. Lowell found that he couldn't put his great scheme into operation without the aid of a mechanical genius and that genius was Paul Moody. Mr. Moody was born in Amesbury in 1777, and became well known as a manufacturer in that town, in connection with Ezra Worthen, who also has a school and a street named after him. Mr. Lowell secured the services of Mr. Moody and they started in business in Waltham. Then Messrs. Lowell and Moody got together and invented the double-speeder for spinning, while Mr. Moody's peculiar invention was the filling-threstle, and began spinning and weaving under the same roof. It was Mr. Moody who discovered the possibilities of the Pawtucket canal, with his friend Worthen and through their efforts the company was formed that took control of the water power of the Merrimack river. In 1822 the Merrimack Manufacturing company was started here with an original capital of $660,000 and its first business was to erect the dam at Pawtucket falls, and to widen and deepen the Pawtucket canal. Five hundred men were employed on the work. Mr. Moody removed here from Waltham in 1823 and took charge of the company's machine shop which was completed at a cost of $150,000, and he was in charge eight years when he died, July 5, 1831. Born and bred a mechanic he was also a gentleman and a scholar.

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ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPAN TO URGE RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION TO MAKE NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS

TOKIO, May 4.—Minister of Justice Ozaki is quoted by the newspapers as having announced that the cabinet had decided to send an ultimatum to China urging her to reconsider the decision to make no further concessions to Japan.

It is explained in official circles that Japan has no desire to resort to force, but that China "must be made to realize this country is determined upon the acceptance of its program for solidifying the peace of the Orient."

The press considers the ultimatum a proper step. The Times believes that if China refuses to yield Japan should occupy provinces like Shantung, "until China comes to her senses." This, the paper says, would not constitute a violation of China's integrity, "since its sole aim would be to ensure the integrity of the country."

The belief is professed in some circles that China may send word at the last minute that additional concessions are possible and in this way avert the ultimatum.

CHINO-JAPANESE NEGOTIATIONS

LONDON, May 4.—The question as to how Japan can reconcile some of her demands upon China with her professed intention of upholding the independence of that country is asked by the Manchester Guardian in reviewing editorially the Chino-Japanese negotiations.

"China does agree," says the Guardian, "to the request that she shall not cede to a third power any harbors, bays or islands along her coasts, an undertaking against which nothing can be said except that it apparently leaves Japan free to demand from China just what China is forbidden to grant a third party. If Japan would enter into a self-denying ordinance then, indeed, China and those who wish her well would have solid ground for satisfaction. But now we remain puzzled to know how Japan can reconcile some of her demands, those for instance which China has rejected with her professed intention of upholding the independence of China."

TO WED STENOGRAPHER

John H. Butler, 73, of Somerville, to Marry Miss Alice W. Eccls, 58, of Boston

BOSTON, May 4.—Associate Justice John Haskell Butler of the Somerville police court, 73 years old and a widower, yesterday applied at the city clerk's office in Somerville for a license to marry Miss Alice Williams Eccls, 58 years old, living at the Hotel Bellevue, Boston. She is a stenographer.

Mr. Butler is a lawyer in Somerville and Boston and has been associate justice for the past 23 years. His home is at 10 Prescott street, East Somerville.

He entered Yale university when 18 years of age. He was a classmate of William C. Whitney, secretary of the navy under President Cleveland. After graduating he served three years in the navy. He was admitted to the Middlesex bar in 1868.

He was for 12 years a member of the Somerville school board and was one year in the Massachusetts house of representatives. From 1881 to 1885 he served in the governor's council. He is a prominent officer in the Royal Arcanum.

Miss Eccls is a native of Hanover.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE LADY'S WORKBAG

If you wish to shrink goods before making a garment, fold the goods through the center, laying the selvedges together and crease through the centre. Put the goods into a tub of water, and then throw it, dripping wet, without wringing over a long straight line, having the fold come on the line, and pin frequently.

The cloth will not need ironing, as the weight of the water makes it smooth and straight. The selvedges are also kept nice and straight, thus making it easier to cut out the garment than if the cloth had to be ironed.

Sometimes a perfectly good dress will shrink in the washing, and in letting out the hem the edges will be found much worn. A good idea is to cut off the hem and put in a row of insertion or wash braid, then add the hem and face it up as far as the insertion.

The cross-stitch, with all the romantic touches that time has given it, is with us again as never before. It comes in revivals of old, and in original forms, but no matter how it appears, it possesses an endearing charm.

Who does not remember the cross-stitch bookmark? Pedantic to a fault, it epitomized some sentiment of puritanical colonial days. "Read and mark it well," is an old bookmark motto that at least shows a leaning toward levity rather startling for such a prunless clan as the dear old Pilgrim fathers, yet it orginated with them, and is revived today in "Frenchy" colors pink or blue, or vice versa.

Then there are backs of after-dinner coffee trays done in cross-stitch. These are on linen of course, covered with glass and and enframed with an oval or an oblong of mahogany. Brass handles on the sides or ends give the only additional useful ornamental touch.

A boudoir cap can be made of a man's handkerchief and val lace. Stitch the val insertion in some fanciful design on the handkerchief, or trim it by merely sewing the lace from side to side, forming a cross; now cut out the material underneath the lace and round the corners.

Gather the crown into an inch wide headband of lawn. Ruffle an edge of narrow lace to the top of the band and another to the lower edge and then add two small bunches of ribbon rosebuds at each side of the cap. A white hat elastic run through the headband will make the cap adjustable to any head size.

Handy night pockets used to hold a handkerchief, watch, cough drops, or whatever one wishes handy, are made from an eleven-inch strip of linen, folded up three-fourths of the length. The upper edge is turned over and stitched to form a casing through which a piece of feather bone is slipped. This holds the pocket taut, so that it will not fall together when anything is placed in it. A length of ribbon is fastened at each end of the upper edge.

Now is the time when the "forehanded" woman is getting some of her sewing done. Before making up the colored wash materials she shrinks them and "sets" the colors. Green and lavender materials will retain their coloring, unhurt by laundry work, if they are soaked first fifteen minutes in about two gallons of cold water to which a cupful of strong vinegar has been added.

Salted water or water to which turpentine has been added will set pinks and blues. Colored silk stockings may be successfully washed by following the same rules.

If you rub a bit of dry soap across the new spool of silk, you will not be bothered by having the silk unwind too quickly when threaded into the machine.

Do the needleworkers realize what pretty articles may be fashioned of odds and ends of material? Never throw anything away, but keep it in your scrap box ready for use when required. A very pretty bow for a gift was made of a piece of satin ribbon ten or eleven inches long; sew the ends and turn them to form points, fold the ribbon so that one end hangs over the other, and gather across about an inch below the fold, drawing up and fastening.

Take a bit of coronation-braid and form into five loops of three rolls, each which gives a square petal, like a wild rose, set firmly in the center, and cover with a circle of small beads, surrounding a larger one or a small fancy button.

Attach one of these ornaments to each tab a little above the point, and see if you are not pleased with the result obtained from a few "scraps" and a little time spent in working on them.

A napkin case would be a help in keeping the linen drawer in perfect order. Whether the case is elaborately embroidered or merely marked with a single cross-stitched initial the method of making the case is the same.

Two strips of linen, a little wider than a folded napkin, are crossed in the center, after first being pointed at both ends and bound or buttonhold. The three sides of the crossed pieces are securely stitched, the one side being left open so that a piece of cardboard can be slipped in place. This will hold the bottom of the case firm. Place the napkins on the base, fold the two ends over and fasten, then fold the other sides over the top and secure with snap fasteners.

For a quickly made case a heavy quality of cream linen, bound with blue tape, secured with snap fasteners, with the owner's initials in blue cross-stitch, would be most attractive. A case for the table cloth may be bound in the same way, excepting that it should be oblong in shape. This offers a suggestion for an attractive way to give a bridal gift of table linen.

NO-LICENSE CAMPAIGN

Worcester Ministerial League Favors Action—Resolution to Be Taken at Federation Session

WORCESTER, May 4.—Worcester Ministerial league adopted the following resolution yesterday:

"Resolved, That it is the unanimous sentiment of the Worcester Ministers league that a no-license campaign be undertaken in our city this year, and that the campaign be undertaken by the Worcester Interchurch Federation in cooperation with other no-license and temperance organizations in the city."

The resolution will be reported at the annual meeting of the Interchurch Federation on May 27.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Passes Boston & Maine Measure — House Passes the "Clean Milk" Bill

BOSTON, May 4.—The state senate yesterday, by a vote of 29 to 8, passed to be engrossed the bill for the reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad. This stage is the final one in the senate, unless the very unusual step of trying to defeat the bill on its enactment is taken. The bill will now go to the house.

The senate passed the bill practically as it was reported from the committee on railroads. Various amendments were offered, but the only ones adopted were those offered by Senator Hobbs, the chairman of that committee, and a minor one proposed by Senator McLane. The senate plainly showed that it was disposed to abide by the judgment of members who have spent so much time in the consideration of the act.

Senator Hobbs, beginning the debate on the bill, made a comprehensive and lucid statement of the reasons for the legislation and the objects which the bill was designed to accomplish. The fundamental and essential things were, he said, to enable the Boston & Maine to escape from its present difficulties by a consolidation with the companies which it now leases, and to authorize the Boston & Maine to fund its floating debt; the road probably could not fund its debt at present because its financial condition was so unfavorable that people would not invest in its securities.

The bill, he said, gave the road a chance to sell its paper, or, if that result could not be had, to call on its stockholders for the funds needed to get rid of this debt.

Relief for the Trustees

The first of the Hobbs amendments provides in brief that the trustees shall not be compelled to go to the public service commission for its approval of every use they may propose to make of the money received from the sale of stock, but that if the public service commission subsequently finds that any money was used for purposes not properly capitalizable, the amount so expended shall be charged against the premiums heretofore realized from the sale of stock.

Another of Senator Hobbs' amendments strikes out the clause which would give the public service commission, after it has validated the proposed issues of new capital, authority to say in effect that the rates of the company need not be put high enough to earn dividends on such stock.

Limiting Directors

The senate adopted an amendment, proposed by Senator McLane, which provides that a director of the Boston & Maine may not be a director of any other railroad in the commonwealth, and also that the Boston & Maine may not purchase materials or supplies from any director of that road, or from the director of any other railroad in the state.

Spotters' Bill Unconstitutional

The supreme court sent down in reply to questions submitted by the senate an opinion that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. This bill is known as the "Railroad spotters" bill; it provides that if any person gives information which may lead to the disciplining or discharge of the employe of a railroad, such employe must not be disciplined or discharged until he has had opportunity to make a statement in the presence of the person giving the information.

The opinion, a majority one, answers three questions asked by the senate. The majority say: First, that the legislature may not enact legislation limiting the right of railroad corporations to discharge their employes for cause; second, that the legislature may not give railroad employes as a class privileges not enjoyed by the rest of the community; third, that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. The opinion is signed by Justices Rugg, Braley, DeCourcy, Pierce and Carroll.

Justices Loring and Crosby transmitted a dissenting opinion. They say that they subscribe to the answer to the second question; that they prefer not to express an opinion upon a matter which it is not necessary to consider in order to answer fully the questions asked and therefore they express no opinion on the second question, although they do not intend to throw doubt on the answer; that they subscribe to the answer to the third question.

The senate ordered that the opinion be printed, and further consideration of the bill was postponed.

Registration of Physicians

When the bill for the registration of physicians came up, the senate, by a vote of 18 to 6, substituted a bill which contained a section authorizing herb doctors to practice; this provision is identical with a bill which the house has rejected.

The rest of the bill which the senate engrossed yesterday does not differ materially from the one reported by the committee on public health; it provides that no one can take the examination to be registered as a physician unless he has obtained the degree of M. D. from a school authorized to confer that degree.

The bill repealing the act which forbids the carrying of red flags in public processions was, without debate or division, passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring judges of superior, district and municipal courts to visit at least once a year the penal institutions to which they may sentence prisoners was rejected without debate.

Highway Bill Called a Grab

Senator Hays made a long and spirited argument against the bill authorizing the expenditure of $2,000,000 on highways in the five western counties of the state. He characterized the bill as a "grab"—a word which some of the senators at first took to be "graft"—and said it would cost Boston ultimately about $1,000,000 and the other large cities in proportion.

Protests Against Bill

Two circulars of protest against the Boston & Maine railroad reorganization bill have been sent to each member of the Massachusetts legislature by C. W. Crooker, attorney for William B. Lawrence, trustee for a large block of Boston & Maine stock.

House of Representatives

The original bill to prohibit the sale or delivery of milk produced under unsanitary conditions was passed to be engrossed, 149 to 68, by the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday, after a lengthy debate. In fact the bill was rejected on a standing vote by 64 to 76, but the action was reversed on a rollcall.

There was three-quarters of an hour delay in securing a quorum because many members were attending the private view of "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. Pfeiffer of Bedford moved to substitute for the so called "clean milk" bill one calling for state health board supervision, as originally provided, but allowing the farmer to resume business upon a certificate from the department of animal industry. Mr. Chapman of Ludlow opposed both bills and criticised the methods which he charged were employed to secure support.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly was surprised, he said, that the farmers should "cry baby." Their constant plea, he said had been for an opportunity for improvement before prosecution, and yet when a bill giving just that is presented, they oppose it. He said the Pfeiffer bill only put into the hands of the department of animal industry what was purely a health matter.

Coburn of Dracut

An amendment to the first bill was offered by Mr. Coburn of Dracut, providing 24 hours' notice before prosecution which was adopted on a voice vote. The Pfeiffer bill was rejected on a standing vote, 63 to 59 and a rollcall refused. The original "Clean Milk" bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Ruling on Teachers' Bill

Atty. Gen. Henry C. Attwill yesterday sent to the Massachusetts house of representatives his opinion on the bill providing that applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools shall not be asked as to their religious belief. He holds that the bill is unconstitutional at present, but that the amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney would provide authority to enact the bill, without violating the constitution.

The Lomasney amendment strikes out the above provision and substitutes one that such appointments shall not be affected by political or religious opinions or affiliations.

LICENSE TO FERNCROFT

DESPITE REVELATIONS MADE BY TOODLES RYAN, PRIVILEGE IS GRANTED TO SELL LIQUOR

BOSTON, May 4.—Despite the "revelations" made by "Toodles" Ryan in her breach of promise suit against Harry K. Mansfield, proprietor of the Ferncroft Inn, the selectmen of Middleton voted to renew the license of that resort for another year and it is now doing business at the same stand.

Three licenses were issued to the inn. First class for $1500, fourth class for $100 and a club license for $500.

The affairs of the Ferncroft Inn were brought into the "Toodles" case when the woman alleged that Mansfield had cleaned up $325,000 in the past three years.

GETS FULL BACK PAY

BOSTON, May 4.—Police Captain Robert R. Perry, the Somerville veteran captain who was retired against his will last June on half pay and was recently reinstated by order of the court, went to the office of the city treasurer of Somerville yesterday and was given $1255.47, which represents full pay from June, 1914, to April 3 of this year. He had kept all his checks for half pay which were sent to him while he was retired, and these he returned when receiving the full pay checks.

THE SICKABED LADY

Fresh air being the best of all medicines, nurse says, you should learn how to take it. There is only one proper way, and that is by deep breathing. And deep breathing means breathing that way all of the time, not merely once or twice a day when you happen to think of it.

The ideal deep breath is the kind you get once in a while when you yawn, and should give you much the same sense of pleasure that such a breath does. No one can sleep in a hot, poorly ventilated room and be in condition to resist cold contagion. You are safer in a room with the mercury at thirty than in one with the mercury at eighty.

In a bedroom with but one window, raise the window, raise the dow, raise the window, slightly at the bottom and lower it correspondingly at the top. If there are more than one window, raise one and lower another at the top. When windows are on but one side of the room a transom should be opened or a door left ajar to help the circulation of air when the wind is not blowing directly on the windows.

Nurse quoted some very good rules for new mothers regarding the baby. She says, mother's milk is nature's food, and no other food is as good. The chances of your baby living are nine times greater on breast milk than cow's milk or any other kind of food. Even though you have but little milk at first do not get discouraged; be patient and try, try again.

There are very few mothers whose breasts will not give sufficient milk if they will but encourage the baby to suck. This keeps the milk flowing and increases its flow. Even though you feel weak, you can nurse your baby without danger to yourself. Only a few diseases forbid nursing.

If you are in doubt consult your doctor; his advice is better than that of your neighbors. Nurse your baby until the tenth month. If you really cannot nurse him as long, give him your milk as long as you can, for every drop he gets adds to his strength for his hard fight in life as no other food does or ever will. Drink plenty of water, but avoid tea, coffee and beer.

Nurse says much illness among children can be traced directly to the lack of personal supervision by the mistress of careless or unthinking servants. In no respect is this more clearly shown than in the care of milk in the kitchen.

The only absolute safeguard for the mother anxious about her little invalid or weakly child will be found to lie in the filtering of milk through clean absorbant cotton immediately upon its arrival and then heating it to a degree high enough to kill the lurking germs of contagion that may be found.

This is a subject that certainly demands the constant consideration of social reformers. It is not generally known that, as a rule, the ordinary marketable milk sold in many large cities is practically unfit for use as the food for an infant, when considered from the standpoint of the time that has elapsed between milking and serving.

Contagious diseases, says nurse, are caused by minute living germs. The object of disinfection is to destroy these. In order that as few articles as possible shall be exposed to infection by the disease germs, at the very beginning of the illness all unnecessary furniture and other unnecessary articles, should be removed from the sickroom.

The following are two best-known disinfectants: Carbolic acid—standard solution No. 1 is composed of six ounces of carbolic acid, dissolved in one gallon of hot water. This makes approximately a five per cent. solution of carbolic acid. Great care must be taken that the pure acid does not come in contact with the skin. When practicable, the carbolic solution should be used as hot as possible.

Corrosive sublimate (bichloride of mercury)—standard solution No. 2 is composed of sixty grains of pulverized corrosive sublimate and sixty grains of chloride of ammonia, dissolved in one gallon of water. This solution must be kept in glass, or wooden vessels (not in metal vessels). These solutions are very poisonous when taken by mouth, but are harmless when used externally.

For the outdoor season nurse thinks it important that her friends know of cures for bee stings and ivy poison. In case a piece of the sting of a bee, she says, remains in the wound, extract it with the fingers or a small pair of tweezers. The best application for the inflammation is diluted ammonia water, after which a cloth covered with sweet oil should be placed upon the part.

For ivy poison take either a seidlitz powder or rochelle salts, and eat only light, cooling things. Apply the following lotion locally.

Precipitated carbonated zinc, 4 drams; oxide of zinc, 2 drams; glycerine, 2 drams; rosewater, 8 ozs.

Defective teeth are a threat to health by reason of impairment of mastication and consequently of digestion. There is no difference of opinion concerning the value of good teeth properly used in the preparation of food for the digestive process.

While the vigorous stomach may attack particles of food of considerable size and resistance, the process of digestion is naturally slowed up in proportion to the magnitude and firmness of the unground particles. In addition to this, the admixture of healthy, saliva to the food during the process of mastication is of no little consequence, especially in the digestion of starch.

Thus defective teeth are not only injurious by reason of imperfect mastication, but likewise by reason of a failure to properly incorporate the saliva with the finely divided particles of food while it is still in the mouth.

A MIDNIGHT FIRE

Blaze Discovered in the Whitall Mfg. Plant in the Danger District

The prompt discovery of a fire in a brick building owned by the Whitall Manufacturing Co. and located at the corner of Rock and Willie streets, by Patrolman Deering, shortly before 12 o'clock last night, prevented what would have undoubtedly developed into a disastrous blaze. An alarm from box 17 summoned the fire department to the spot in quick time.

The fire started in a cuspidor on the second floor of the building and it quickly communicated to the walls and floor. The firemen extinguished the blaze by use of chemicals, thus preventing any loss by fire.

BOY STOPS A BURGLAR

BROKE UP AN ATTEMPTED DAYLIGHT LOOTING OF HIS HOME AND CAPTURED ONE MAN

BOSTON, May 4.—John Conley, 19-year-old son of Edward P. Conley, who lives in Suite 1, 12 Roswell street, Roxbury, broke up an attempted daylight looting of his home yesterday afternoon and chased one of the men who had entered the apartment until, with the assistance of a special policeman, he captured him.

The robbery was attempted by two men assisted apparently by a young woman confederate, and in spite of young Conley's interference they succeeded in making away with a gold watch belonging to the elder Conley, who is a machinist.

Young Conley was returning to his home about 2.15 yesterday afternoon when he saw two men entering the place. He hurried after them as fast as he could and found them inside. He immediately grappled with them, and a tussle followed.

Both men broke for the door. Conley hung onto one of the pair, who, when captured later, gave the name of James Dwyer and his address as 11 Dana street, Roxbury.

Dwyer dragged Conley outside and got away from him. Conley saw him apparently pass something to a young woman who stood on the sidewalk and then run.

Conley chased Dwyer for several blocks until he met Special Policeman Kerrigan, in plain clothes, and between them they caught Dwyer and overpowered him. He was locked up on the charge of breaking and entering and the larceny of a watch.

FOR ASSAULTING WIFE

J. H. EHLER OF GLOUCESTER SENT TO STATE PRISON—LEWIS NOYES CONVICTED

SALEM, May 4.—In the superior court yesterday James H. Ehler of Gloucester pleaded guilty of assault on his wife, Mary Ehler, with intent to murder, and was sentenced by Judge Sanderson to state prison for not less than five nor more than seven years. Evidence was submitted to show that Mrs. Ehler was wounded with a knife in the breast and throat. Her condition is critical.

Lewis Noyes of Newbury, convicted of stealing 12 roosters belonging to Frank Perkins, was sentenced to the house of correction for six months.

Ismael Zilfo of Peabody pleaded guilty of carrying a dangerous weapon and was sentenced to the house of correction for two months.

Michael Apostek of Lynn, convicted of breaking and entering, was committed to the house of correction for six months.

Edward J. Murphy of Lynn, convicted of larceny of shoes, was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

THE OUTDOOR BEAUTIFIER

It would seem hardly necessary to warn women about their daily walks after all the things we read in the daily papers and magazines regarding the beneficial effects on beauty and health derived from the daily walk.

In my acquaintance of friends I can count at least five women who would prefer to sit in their home all during the splendid spring days than bother to dress and romp out in the sunshine. It is very possible that this habit has become chronic and the effort of dressing is considered a task.

If you have ever been so indiscreet as to waste a glorious day indoors without sufficient reason, perhaps it has taught you a lesson, when you have tried the "getting out" idea, but if you have been so unfortunate as to have wasted all your sunny afternoons, then maybe it will take more strenuous methods to convince you of what you have lost.

Each day, when the weather is fine, don your clothes quickly and jaunt forth to enjoy your birthright, fresh air, and sunshine. If you have no children of your own, borrow your neighbor's and romp along with them. Watch their appreciation of the bright spring days in the park, and your own heart will respond in gladness for innocent mirth of children is infectious, it cannot be denied.

WHAT ITALY DEMANDS

Said to Covet Chief Seaports of Dual Monarchy—Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 4.—As the price of peace, Italy is reported to be expecting from Austria-Hungary the surrender of the dual monarchy's entire seacoast. These expectations are said to amount to demands as regarding Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume.

In connection with showing the true significance of such demands, how great is the payment demanded by Italy for her continued neutrality, the National Geographic society, following its description of Triest, issued today a statement dealing with Fiume, the sole seaport of the Kingdom of Hungary. The statement reads:

"Austria-Hungary carries on its business with the outside world through its great ports, Triest and Fiume. The future of its over-seas commerce is largely bound up with the development of these cities; for Triest and Fiume are the New York and Boston of Austria-Hungary, or, better, they are the dual monarchy's Hamburg and Bremen. Fiume is the only outlet of the Hungarian kingdom to free water, and the Hungarians have spent millions of dollars in their endeavor to make it a model port. The great Austrian port and the Hungarian port are keen rivals, and, during the last few years, Fiume has grown somewhat at the cost of its northern neighbor.

"Owing to the deep interest which the Hungarians take in their coast city, the business of Fiume has grown rapidly. There are several harbors: one for coasting vessels, one for timber, and a general harbor, begun in 1872, and capable of accommodating about 200 large vessels. It is protected by a breakwater more than half a mile in length, and is flanked by a great, modern quay more than two miles long. The wharves and elevators are equipped in the most up-to-date fashion for the handling of a huge inflow and outflow of trade. The water-front, as the rest of the city, is lighted by electricity.

"In 1910, Fiume was entered by 17,850 vessels of 3,031,381 tons. In approximate figures, its business totaled $55,000,000, divided into an export business of $35,000,000 and an import trade of $20,000,000. Its trade is thus about one-half that of the port of San Francisco. Its exports consist chiefly of the agricultural products of Hungary, grain, flour, sugar, timber, horses, and some manufactured wares. The principal imports are coal, wine, rice, various minerals, fruit, jute, chemicals, oils and tobacco. There are several industrial establishments in the city, among them Whitehead's torpedo factory, a large paper-mill, a royal tobacco factory, flour mills, tanneries and rope factories. The fisheries of the city are important, Quarnero Gulf being filled with food fishes.

"Fiume is picturesquely situated at the head of the Gulf of Quarnero, at the southern base of the Istrian triangle, 40 miles southeast of Triest, or about 70 miles away by the railroad through the mountainous coastland. The city has more than 50,000 population. The Italians constitute the largest part of the populace, and, together with the Slavonians, comprise about 90 per cent. Geographically, Fiume belongs to Croatia. In 1870, however, it finally became a part of the Hungarian kingdom. The Italians, who favor the Hungarians as opposed to the Slavonians, are practically in control of the city's administration.

"Fiume occupies seven square miles of land carved out of Croatia. Around its waterfront, there is a narrow, level plain upon which the new town is built, with its convenient, modern ground-plan, fine business structures and generally substantial architecture. The old town climbs the hills back from the shore, straggling in a quaint disorder of irregular, narrow streets and haphazard houses. Views of the city and its surroundings from the deck of an approaching steamer are delightful, and there are a number of pleasant tours to be made in the neighborhood. Fiume has been Austrian since 1471."

TOTAL OF $2000

Big Contribution From Lowell for the Polish Relief Fund

Late yesterday afternoon Rev. A. Ogonowski, pastor of the Holy Trinity church in High street, announced that the money collected in this city on the tag day for Poland, held Saturday, reached the amount of $1458.64. Later, however, other contributions were received as follows: Mrs. Lucy E. Kyes of Westford, $5; X. Y. Z. of Lowell, $50, making a total of $1513.64. Fr. Ogonowski said the members of his parish volunteered to contribute the balance to make a round $2000. That is a splendid contribution for one city, collected in a few days.

PROTEST BY 500 GIRLS

NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DENY MORAL LAXITY—RUMOR UNJUST AND UNTRUE

NEWTON, May 4.—A resolution was adopted by 500 girl students in the Newton Classical high school yesterday afternoon protesting against the "injustice and untruthfulness" of the communication which appeared in a local paper last week to the effect that the morals of the students in the schools were rumored to be low.

Considerable indignation has arisen among the parents since the communication was published, and the school authorities are making every effort to determine whether such conditions do exist.

The resolution, which may also be adopted by the students of the Technical high school soon, follows:

"We are drawn together today by one accord by a great wave of just indignation at the injustice done to the Newton high school by the 'rumor' which was published in a local paper last week and copied by some of the Boston dailies to be widely circulated among the community. We are here today to show our confidence in the girls of our schools.

"We all appreciate our splendid teaching force and their interest in us and their careful supervision over us. We appreciate our school and the fine reputation which it bears among graduates and educators, and we are grateful for the advantages and protection of home life while attending school, because we know that the whole sentiment of the young women of this school is sound and wholesome and that their principles and ideals are high.

"Be it resolved, that we make formal protest against the injustice and the untruthfulness of this report."

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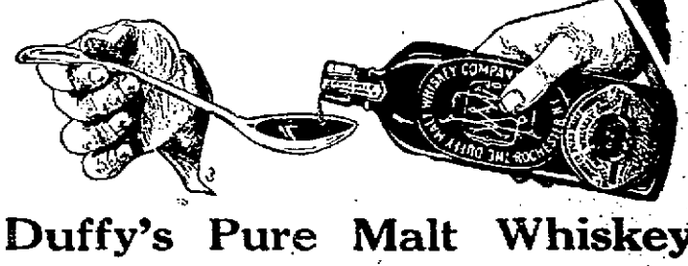

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BOLD ATTEMPT TO KILL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—Charles E. Sebastian, suspended chief of police and candidate for the mayoralty nomination at today's primary election, was the object of an attempted assassination last night. He was sitting in the front room of his residence talking to J. C. Royer, who was a witness in his behalf at Sebastian's trial yesterday on charges of immorality.

About 11 o'clock the telephone bell rang and the chief answered it, talking for about ten minutes. The person at the other end of the wire professed to be a friend of Sebastian and made inquiries about how to mark his ballot in the election.

Returning to the room where he had left Royer, Sebastian was about to sit down when a shot was fired and a bullet crashed through the window, whizzing directly over the chair in which Sebastian had been sitting. Immediately afterward another bullet crashed through the window and lodged in a book lying on a table in the center of the room.

Neighbors attracted by the shots said they saw a man wearing a light overcoat and carrying a satchel run from the rear of the house. About an hour before the shooting neighbors also said they had seen two men lurking in the shadow of the porch of the Sebastian home.

Sebastian has alleged that the charges involving his morality were the outcome of a political plot hatched when he announced himself as a candidate for mayor.

Fred J. Whiffen, president of the city council and Ralph Crisswell, socialist, appeared to be Sebastian's most formidable opponents at today's primaries.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Election of Officers and Annual Report Showing Principal Activities of the Year

The twenty-first club year of the Middlesex Women's club was brought to a close yesterday afternoon with the election of officers and the reading of reports. Miss Grace Ward, who has served the club as president so ably and tactfully for the past three years, could not again be constitutionally elected and she retired to the evident regret of the members. Mrs. Charles S. Proctor was elected in her place, and the folowing ballot, prepared by the nominating committee, was accepted with no nominations from the floor.

President, Mrs. Ida H. Proctor.

Vice presidents, Miss Susie L. D. Watson, Mrs. Jdahel A. Stearns, Miss M. Maude Lancaster.

Recording secretary, Miss Mary A. Shattuck.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Annie K. Greene.

Treasurer, Mrs. Annie B. Robertson.

Chairman of finance, Mrs. Emma F. Thompson.

Directors, Mrs. Julia M. Chadwick, Mrs. Gertrude J. Washburn, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney.

Reports of the March business meeting and the annual report of the recording secretary were read by Miss Mary A. Shattuck, and the report of the treasurer was read by Mrs. S. H. Thompson, chairman of finance. The report of the correspondence secretary, Mrs. Harvey B. Greene, showed that the full membership is 700 with 66

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IN POLICE COURT

Larceny of two pairs of shoes valued at three dollars from an unknown person was the complaint preferred against John Smith of South Boston, when the latter was arraigned before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. Clerk Trull asked John to give the court his right name, but the defendant said it was Smith, and pleaded not guilty to the complaint. At the request of Deputy Downey the case was continued until Friday for trial.

James Clark was arrested for drunkenness last night. He was under a suspended sentence and the court ordered the suspension revoked and Clark will spend the next four months in the house of correction.

Sent to Jail

Lester Bent, who was released yesterday morning by Probation Officer Slattery on his first offense, could not abstain from intoxicants and he again pleaded guilty to being drunk, having been arrested a few hours after his release. Three other second offenders were given sentences of one month in jail.

Mentally Deranged

The case of Thomas McCaffrey, charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime and larceny of over $100 worth of jewelry from Henry Lavallee's store on Merrimack street, did not come up for trial this forenoon as the defendant had been pronounced mentally deranged.

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The batting average of the mills and factories of this city still continues high.

The Building laborers' union has a meeting scheduled for tonight at Trades and Labor hall.

The Carpenters' union, local 43, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the Runels building.

The Tailors' union will meet tonight in the small hall at the Trades and Labor headquarters in Middle street.

Morton Walker, head advertising man for the J. L. Challoux Co. is not in favor of the "jitney bus," although he owns a gasoline cart.

Dick Preston says "no tickets back" at the coming dancing party to be conducted by the employes of the Mears Adams packing department.

Many employes of shoe shops who had been working but mornings up until a few weeks ago were able to average from $10 to $12 a week.

The fellow who has been out of work all winter must feel about as happy as a wounded soldier invalided home from the front—both thank their stars it's over.

A big meeting of the ringspinner fixers and carder fixers is scheduled for Thursday night when steps will be taken to amalgamate both branches into a single labor organization.

The shoe industry has taken a new lease of life and other business seems to have felt an impetus. All the shoe industries of this city are working better at the present time than they have all year.

The Concord B. & M. bowling five won from the Lowell B. & M. team on a Nashua alley recently by a big margin. W. Chadwick was the high man on the Lowell aggregation, hitting the pins for 270.

Frederick Winslow Taylor, the originator of "scientific management" in industries died recently in Philadelphia. During his lifetime he worked very hard in the interest of the system—he originated to speed up labor and installed it in many plants.

The Fall River Iron Works mills employ about 1400 weavers but it cannot be stated at this time what percentage of this number is out on strike. The strike was caused by an order posted that employes in the weaving departments work part of the noon hour. This they refused to do and several hundred walked out.

Teamsters' Met

Local 87, Teamsters' union held a brief routine business session in the union quarters in Odd Fellows building last night and at 32 Middle street the Coal Teamsters' union convened, but only routine business was transacted.

Labor Forward Committee

Among the meetings scheduled for tonight is that of the labor forward committee, which will meet in the Boot & Shoe headquarters in the Runels building to complete further plans for its campaign.

Boilermakers' Union

A meeting of the boilermakers employed at the Boston & Maine repair shops, North Billerica was held last night in Trades & Labor hall but only business of minor importance was transacted. About 250 members were in attendance.

Textile Conference

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers attended the conference of textile workers held in Providence, R. I., Sunday and was given authority to use his own discretion in organizing the folders of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill.

Noonday Speeches

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan and Thomas F. McMahon addressed a large gathering of mill operatives at the Merrimack Mfg. Co., yesterday noon, both speakers talking on organization. They received a good reception.

At noon today Organizers Whelan, McMahon and Hall addressed the workers at the Boott mill gate, speaking on the same subject.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Conference

The New England conference of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union was held in Whitman last Sunday. Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of this city presiding. A number of addresses were made by prominent labor officials and business of considerable importance was transacted. A large delegation from the local union attended the session.

Moulders' Union

The quarterly statement of the international organization was read last night at the regular meeting of the Moulders' union, held in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street. President John Willman presided. Trade conditions were discussed and shown to be improving, and Secretary Anderson of the Trades & Labor council submitted a report on the progress of the labor forward movement.

Loomfixers' Union

John Hanley, the newly elected president of the Loomfixers' union presided over the business session held last night in Carpenters' hall. Among the speakers was former President Peter Coutu, who has left the organization to enter business. The meeting was called to order promptly at 8 o'clock and considerable business of importance was transacted, including the admission of one new member. Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers' and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan spoke on organization work and the union label. Frank R. LeClair, Jr., was chosen to the position of vice-president, vacated by President Hanley's promotion.

Carpenters Union

A ladies' night will in all probability be held in the near future by the Carpenters union for the purpose of giving the wives of the members an insight into the workings of the organization and the meaning of the death benefit. The family of a member of the organization at the present time is entitled to receive $100 upon his death, providing he is in good financial standing, and if his wife should die before him the thing works both ways, and he receives $75. Many cases have happened within the past few years where families have been deprived of the death benefit because of the negligence of the member in not keeping in good financial standing, and by bringing the wives of the members to the union headquarters and explaining matters to them, it is believed that this practice will be done away with, and that few families, if any, will be deprived of what is rightfully due them. The Carpenters union is probably the only organization in the country which pays a death benefit to both the wife and father of the family, simply on prompt payment of the regular monthly fee which at the present time is 75 cents.

TO WED ARTIST'S MODEL

WEALTHY HARVARD MAN OF NEW YORK AWAITS HIS FATHER'S CONSENT

BOSTON, May 4—Miss Eileen Livingston, the Charlestown girl and artist's model, whose engagement to Leland Henry Niles, a wealthy Harvard student from Amsterdam, N. Y., became known Saturday, is anxiously awaiting with her fiance for word as to how the father of the young man will take the news of the engagement.

Young Niles, who is still a student at the Harvard Graduate School of Architecture, and whose course ends in June, has been reluctant to have his father learn of it until he informs him of it personally. It is not expected, however, that there will be any opposition on the part of the father, as he met Miss Livingston during the last Harvard commencement, when his son was graduated from the college course.

MISS HELEN JOYCE DEAD

HIGHLY ESTEEMED RESIDENT OF CENTRALVILLE PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

The many friends of Miss Helen T. Joyce, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Centralville will be deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred this morning at her home, 82 Eleventh street, after a long illness borne with patience and resignation. Miss Joyce was a native of Centralville and was prominent in the social and charitable affairs of St. Michael's parish. She was a graduate of Notre Dame Academy and until her health failed she was recognized as one of Lowell's expert accountants. The deceased was a beautiful character, kind, gentle, sincerely religious and deeply devoted to the members of her family and her friends. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ellen T. Joyce, five sisters, Misses Mary C., of the high school and Rose C., Anna F., Jennie R. and Alice L., all of this city, and one brother, Charles H. Joyce, of Watertown, Mass.

KILLS HUSBAND OVER CLOTHES

Woman Shoots When Refused Money For Stylish Garments—Arrested and Held

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., May 4.—Mrs. Ellen Columbia of Montrose, near here, shot her husband, David, because of his refusal to buy clothes of the latest style for her. He died yesterday in a hospital and his wife was arrested after trying to convince Coroner Forshay that the shooting was accidental.

Columbia's wound was in the back and when on the operating table he insisted that he had shot himself. The surgeons told him such a feat was impossible, and he then said that his wife had used a revolver during a quarrel over her clothes.

Mrs. Columbia was fashionably dressed when she appeared before the coroner and showed no signs of having been crazed in the matter of clothes. She asserted that her husband had tried to beat her and that she had used the revolver in self-defense. Columbia was an Austrian and the father of three sons.

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41 PERSONS DEAD

Killed or Drowned in the Recent Storms or Floods in Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, May 4.—Forty-one persons were killed or drowned in recent storms or floods in Texas, according to a compilation made public here today. Thirty-six bodies have been recovered, while five persons missing at Austin for two weeks are counted with the dead. Twenty-one of the bodies were recovered at Austin.

Rough estimates place the damage to property by the flood at $2,500,000.

SHIPMENT OF GRAIN

EXPORTATION FROM CANADA TO THE UNITED STATES PROHIBITED

OTTAWA, Ont., May 4.—The shipment of wheat, flour and a large number of other agricultural products and commodities to the United States has been prohibited, it was officially announced today except when such shipments are intended solely for domestic consumption in the United States and not for re-shipment abroad. Exportation of Canadian wheat and other farm products to certain foreign countries through the United States is allowed upon permits to be obtained in each individual case from Dominion authorities here. These permits must be delivered to customs officers at ports of exit, it is announced, before the shipment may be sent out of the country.

Another detail of the new restrictions is that all such products shipped out of the Dominion must be consigned to specific firms or individuals and that bills of lading must state that the products are for consumption in the United States.

Reasons for the restrictions were not divulged.

AID JEWISH SUFFERERS

JACOB SCHIFF SUGGESTS THAT AT LEAST 2,000,000 JEWS SHOULD EMIGRATE BEYOND MISSISSIPPI

NEW YORK, May 4.—Jacob H. Schiff's suggestion that at least two million Jews from abroad should emigrate to the country beyond the Mississippi river created enthusiasm today among those interested in the movement to aid Jewish sufferers from the war. He declared that the west was ready to welcome them and that a land of plenty awaited them there.

Mr. Schiff's proposal was made in an address to the Educational alliance last night on his return from a trip to San Antonio, San Francisco, Kansas City and Chicago, undertaken in part to discover the sentiment toward the Jews in the west.

ATTACKS SEC. BRYAN

McCALL SAYS BRYAN'S MIND IS NOT SOLID—ADMITS HE'S A GOOD TALKER

BOSTON, May 4.—Samuel W. McCall, former congressman, and defeated candidate for the governorship of Massachusetts, gave it as his opinion last night before the Wellesley club at the Hotel Vendome, that the mind of William Jennings Bryan was not solid.

Mr. McCall had been telling his audience, made up of the members of the club and their wives about the working of congress, and what he had observed while he was a member of that body. He had reached the point where he was discussing the oratorical merits of his colleagues in congress. "I think that Bourke Cockran of New York was the ablest orator of all those who were in congress at that time. Thomas B. Reed was very able, but the vocabulary of Mr. Cockran was greater and more noble.

"I heard Bryan, who was another of the able orators of the time, talk for three hours on silver. He impressed me as being a great talker, but I also received an impression which has never been eradicated, and that was that he had and has no solidity of mind."

RESTRICT SALE OF LIQUOR

Regulations Promulgated at Cape Town Imposing Severe Restrictions

LONDON, May 4.—A Reuter despatch from Cape Town says restrictions have been promulgated imposing severe restrictions on the sale of liquor especially to members of the Union of South Afri a and the imperial forces.

LAWRENCE STORE ROBBED

Nelson's Five and Ten Cent store in Lawrence has been entered and $12.85 taken from the cash register, according to a report made to the police. Carpenters have been repairing the store and it is believed the thief entered through a hole in the side of the building.

ALL JUMPERS ARE BARRED

BAN JOHNSON AGREES TO TAKE SUITS BETWEEN FEDS AND O. B. OUT OF COURT

BOSTON, May 4.—President Ban Johnson stated in an interview here today that he had consented to have the suits between organized ball and the Feds taken out of the federal court of Illinois, where they are awaiting a decision by Judge Landis.

"I believe that baseball should never have been taken into the courts," he said. "No man who has jumped a contract or reservation with the American league can ever return into that organization. That is final.

"There is a small army of ball players who are trying to get back into organized ball. They are using the influence of their friends but we will not stand for it."

"My consent to have the suits withdrawn," continued Johnson, "applies only to the American league and has nothing to do with the attitude of the National league.

"At the suggestion of Phillip Ball, president of the St. Louis Federals, a conference of the attorneys of the Federal and American leagues was held in Chicago 10 days ago for the purpose of discussing the withdrawal of the suits. The attorneys of the National league knew nothing of such a meeting. Some progress had been made in the direction of adjustment when other matters were injected into the discussion and the conference broke up without accomplishing anything.

"Mr. Ball agreed with me that the suits never should have been instituted. I do not know whether any further effort will be made to bring about an agreement in this direction."

CHAIRMAN HERMANN TALKS

CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—"I know nothing of any movement looking toward the withdrawing of the Federal league's suit against organized baseball from the federal court in Illinois," said Chairman August Hermann of the national commission today when told that President Johnson of the American league had given out an interview in which he said that he had consented to such a withdrawal.

"Insofar as I know there has been no discussion along this line," continued Mr. Hermann, "and I believe I would certainly know of it if such a matter had been discussed."

PRES. TENER'S STATEMENT

NEW YORK, May 4.—President Tener of the National league when informed of Ban Johnson's statement relative to withdrawing the baseball suits from the Illinois courts said he did not understand the American league executive's remarks. President Tener stated that so far as he knew there was no intention at this time on the part of organized baseball in general and the National league in particular to withdraw the case before Judge Landis.

While National league officials appeared to be more or less mystified by President Johnson's statements it was apparent that the National league authorities did not care to take any definite attitude in the latest development of the baseball controversy.

Robert B. Ward, president of the Brooklyn Federals, and vice president of the Federal league, said that he knew of no plans or arrangements between organized baseball and the independent league that warranted such a statement as credited to Johnson. He said:

"So far as I am concerned personally and as representative of the Federal league I am not ready to have the Illinois suits withdrawn from the courts. I don't understand the situation but you can state for me that the Federal league is not ready to depart from the stand it took when the case was pleaded before Judge Landis. There can be no withdrawal of the controversy from court without the consent of all parties concerned and I am confident that no officer of the Federal league would have taken such a step without informing all other members of the league."

NONE OF SUITS WITHDRAWN

CHICAGO, May 4.—None of the suits before Judge Landis in the United States district court here has been withdrawn, it was stated by the clerk of the court today.

PERSONALS

A son was born yesterday to Supt. of Buildings and Mrs. Francis A. Conner.

The T. M. T. M. club of St. Paul's M. E. church gave a farewell party last evening in honor of Mrs. Garfield W. Horne at the home of Mrs. Ralph P. Adams in Chelmsford Centre. Abel R. Campbell presented Mrs. Horne, who is soon to leave for Pittsfield, Mass., a gold brooch in behalf of the club. A social hour was held and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Euclide Valleraud of 60 West Meadow road will be removed to the Lowell hospital Thursday to undergo a serious operation. Her many friends hope she will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roberts and daughter Hazel were agreeably surprised at the home of Mrs. Fred Roberts by members of the Philathean and the "District School" and other friends of the Worthen Street Baptist church on the occasion of their future departure from this city. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and their daughter were presented several valuable gifts. Luncheon was served and a musical program was carried out.

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Nobody could find fault with that game, even though we did lose. It was an exhibition seldom seen in any league at this season of the year.

Revenge is surely sweet. After shutting out Worcester in their opening game, Lowell returns home and is beaten in their opener by the same club. Jesse Burkett was remembering all these little details as he smilingly took his way back to town.

Lohman's wild heave was costly. He pitched a good game but much of the goodness was lost by his erratic throw.

It was a big surprise to everybody when the game went over 10 innings. With two men out and two strikes on the local manager, it looked as though Worcester would maintain its one run lead. But it didn't.

Burkett yelled to Justin to work hard on Barrows. On the Worcester bench the leader of the Busters was telling his men about the slugging ability of Lowell's manager when bang! the sickly thud of horsehide and wood rang out. Jesse looked up just in time to get a last look at the sphere before it passed out of sight.

Stimpson had a good day with the stick. The left fielder stands up there with that same confident pose that he possessed last season. His attitude seems to say, "How can a fellow help hitting 'em?"

Billy McMahon has one of the finest whips in this or any other circuit. He shoots the ball right on a line and is accurate. Twice yesterday it took bullet throws to nail the runner, but Billy was equal to the occasion.

Hughey Duffy must have said a few things under his breath down in Lawrence yesterday. Watkins, his big twirler, was so wild that the bases were filled three times in the first session. Lawrence scored three runs, due mostly to Watkins' wildness, for Scanlon pitched a steady game from that time on.

Dick Rudolph knows what it is now to realize that he is being outpitched. The world series hero was humbled yesterday by Dell of the Brooklyn club in a hard 3-2 game. Brooklyn only drew five hits off Rudolph but they came at opportune times.

"For the love of Mike, how many pitchers have you got this year?" asked Jesse Burkett yesterday. "All I can see is a pitcher everywhere I look." It was before the game, and it did look like a big league camp with seven pitchers out there warming up.

What's going to happen? The Giants have won again. After being blanked up to the ninth inning McGraw's men went in and pounded out a 3-2 victory. J. McGraw must feel a trifle more cheerful after this demonstration of gameness.

Before the fun started there was some fun out at the ball park. The carpenters were busy hustling about and trying to complete rough accommodations for the grandstand patrons and the players were trying to get a little practice. Every few minutes a ball would come back among the workmen. There's many a sore spot today in Contractor Creamer's crew.

PICTURE OF JIM DUFFY

Hunting Club Honors the Memory of the Marathon Runner Killed in the European War

The members of the Bunting club were presented a handsome photograph of the late Jimmy Duffy, who was killed in the European conflict. It will be remembered that the honor of opening the Bunting tracks in 1914 went to Mr. Duffy, who won the Marathon race, which proved one of the most interesting events of this kind ever conducted in this city. The photograph is a gift of the Marion studio. It will be framed and given a conspicuous place in the club rooms.

ED. WALSH SERIOUSLY ILL

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—Developing a severe case of grippe from a cold contracted five days ago, Ed. Walsh, Chicago American league pitcher, suffered from a high fever yesterday, and was in such a condition that his departure for Chicago has been indefinitely postponed.

ELKS BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, May 4.—A team from the Revere lodge last night won the Elks' bowling championship help in connection with the title of the Atlantic Coast Bowling association. Their score for a five man candle pin team was 1476, of which "Red" Miller contributed a pin fall of 344.

C. C. Henry of this city set a new tournament high mark for individual duck pins with 323. In the two men duck pin class Paige and Hardy, also of Boston, set 624 as the high score.

Candle pin keeper was Mediocre. Individually, H. L. Waters won the honors with 302, while Schultz and Hennessy were high rollers in doubles at 606.

MR. BRIDGEFORD INJURED

FELL DOWN EMBANKMENT AND SUSTAINED SERIOUS CUTS AND BRUISES

While assisting in the construction of a stone wall near the entrance of the G. C. Moore scouring mills yesterday afternoon, John Bridgeford of North Chelmsford stumbled over a large boulder and tumbled headlong down an embankment, sustaining severe injuries to his head, besides a severe shock to his system and numerous cuts and bruises about the body. Medical assistance was hastily summoned and the injured man was removed to his apartment over the mill. Mr. Bridgeford has been employed as an engineer by the G. C. Moore Co. for a number of years.

UNION B. HUNT DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 4.—Union B. Hunt, 51, president of the insurance department of the Supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, died yesterday.

TOURING SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AYRES, May 4.—Former Senator Theodore Burton and Judge Otto Schoennech, who are touring So. America to promote closer relations with the United States, will arrive tomorrow from Chile. They will be met by Ambassador Frederick J. Stimson and the embassy staff. Later in the week they will be entertained by Senor De La Plaza and the minister of foreign affairs.

GAMES TOMORROW

New England League
Lowell at Fitchburg.
Lawrence at Lewiston.
Lynn at Portland.
Manchester at Worcester.

American League
Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

National League
Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia
Cincinnati at Chicago.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Federal League
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Baltimore.
Kansas City at Buffalo.
Pittsburgh at Newark.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League
Worcester 5, Lowell 4
Lawrence 4, Portland 1.
Lewiston 5, Lynn 4.
Fitchburg 4, Manchester 2.

American League
Boston-Washington—rain.
New York 8, Philadelphia 4.

National League
Brooklyn 3, Boston 2.
New York 3, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 1, (called 5th, rain.)

Federal League
Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 1.
Brooklyn 8, Pittsburgh 1.
Chicago 7, Buffalo 3.
Baltimore 7, Kansas City 5.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lawrence	2	0	100.0
Lowell	1	1	50.0
Manchester	1	1	50.0
Worcester	1	1	50.0
Fitchburg	1	1	50.0
Lewiston	1	1	50.0
Lynn	0	1	00.0
Portland	0	1	00.0

American League	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	10	4	71.4
Detroit	13	6	68.5
Chicago	11	8	57.9
Washington	8	8	50.0
Boston	5	8	38.5
Cleveland	8	10	44.4
St. Louis	5	13	27.8
Philadelphia	4	11	26.7

National League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	12	4	75.0
Chicago	11	6	64.7
Boston	8	7	53.3
Cincinnati	9	8	52.9
St. Louis	10	9	52.6
Brooklyn	7	10	41.2
Pittsburgh	5	12	29.4
New York	4	10	28.6

Federal League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	12	5	70.6
Pittsburgh	11	8	57.9
Newark	11	8	57.9
Brooklyn	10	9	52.6
Kansas City	9	9	50.0
St. Louis	7	10	41.2
Baltimore	7	12	36.8
Buffalo	6	13	31.6

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FAST GAME FOR OPENER

Worcester Defeated Lowell 5-4 in 13 Innings—Sensational Contest at Spalding Park

Lowell went down to defeat yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in the opening game of the 1915 season in this city in one of the hardest fought diamond contests seen here in years, when Pitcher Lohman uncorked a wild heave in the 13th session, thus allowing Gardella two extra bases and a position at third base from which he subsequently scored on a sacrifice fly. The final score was 5—4.

Cold weather and poor playing conditions, notwithstanding, both teams played wonderful baseball. Time and again one club scored only to have the tallies evened up by the other. There was no inning which netted more than a single run.

Before the contest the two clubs marched to the flagpole in centre field and hoisted Old Glory. Mayor Murphy then mounted the rubber and, after a lengthy windup, pitched the first ball of the game.

Lohman and Justin were the pitchers chosen to work yesterday. Johnson replaced Justin in the 12th when signs of weakness were apparent.

Cuke Barrows lifted the ball high and far in the last half of the 10th with two out and two strikes called upon him. The sphere has reached the earth again, we think, but just where isn't certain. The last seen of the particular horsehide that the Lowell manager caressed with his wand was a tiny speck journeying skyward over the rightfield fence. Many of the fans had begun to leave the stands when Barrows came through with his long homer which again tied up the score.

The game in detail follows:

First Inning

Worcester was retired in the first inning. Keegan lifted a high fly which Greenhalge took after jogging half across the diamond. It was Lohman's ball but Snubber showed good judgment in taking it after he had started to make the play. McCleskey made a nice stop and accurate peg of Cooney's hard grounder near second base. Mac also gobbled up Gardella's grounder but this chance was easier. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Swayne waited out Justin's rather erratic delivery and drew a pass after getting in a hole for two strikes. McMahon then promptly sacrificed Swayne to second and the shivering fans yelled to Barrows to bring in a run. The local manager drove out a line drive to Keegan in left, Swayne remaining at second. Stimpson lined a hard grounder through Gardella into left field and Swayne scored. Keegan was slow in returning the ball. Potteiger pulled down Meyer's long fly to centre after a hard run. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1; Worcester, 0.

Second Inning

Potteiger jollied Lohman into free transportation. Gardella hit to Lohman and went out at first by a narrow margin. Potteiger went to second and old Jess ordered his men to bring in a run. Carroll doubled to the right field fence and Potteiger ambled home, tieing the score. Lohman took Young's smash to the box and threw him out at first. Carroll was held at second. Donahue closed the inning with a strikeout, the first in the game. One run, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit to Cabrera and the Cuban made a put-out unassisted. The Worcester first baseman made a beautiful catch of Cooney's wild heave when Dee grounded to short and Dee was out. Greenhalge struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1, Worcester, 1.

Third Inning

Justin sent a long fly to centre which Barrows took care of. "Cuke" did a sprint act, however, before pulling it down. Keagan smote the sphere on a line into centre for a single. Stimpson could not quite reach Cooney's high fly which dropped fair by a few feet. Keegan went to second and Cooney was safe on first. Gardella lifted a short fly to right which Swayne was waiting for. Greenhalge and Dee pulled off a beautiful play when Snubber shot the ball to second before Keegan could get back to the bag after taking a long lead. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Lohman's fly was a cinch for Potteiger in short centre. Swayne worked another bunco game on Gustin and strolled to first. McMahon smashed a long fly to centre which Potteiger gathered in after a long run. Barrows hit under one which Carroll took in front of the plate. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Worcester 1.

Fourth Inning

Potteiger took a healthy swing at Lohman's first offering but the best that he could do was to send up a fly to McCleskey. Dee made a swell stop and peg when Cabrera hit down in his direction. The throw beat the runner by a stride. Barrows continued his good work by making a difficult catch of Carroll's long fly to left centre. The Lowell team got a big hand on its return to the bench. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Stimpson caught one on the nose at the opening of Lowell's half of the fourth and the ball rolled into deep left field between Potteiger and Keegan. Stimmy worked his legs to good advantage and was at third base when the ball came back to the diamond. Meyers drove a liner to centre, bringing Stimpson home. Only the fastest of fielding by Potteiger held Meyers at first. McCleskey sacrificed Meyers to second with a slow roller to Gardella. Gardella then made a nice catch of Dee's foul fly within a few feet of the bleachers. Carroll grabbed Greenhalge's foul fly. One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell, 2; Worcester, 1.

Fifth Inning

Dee and Meyers put skids under Young on his grounder to short. It was a close play and a neat one. Donahue struck out for the second time, Lohman serving him nothing but soft strikes. Lohman threw out Justin on his weak grounder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Lohman was easy for Cooney and Cabrera. Swayne walked to first for the third time. Billy McMahon made several enemies when he sent a foul tip into the yet unprotected stand. There was some lively scrambling about for a few seconds. McMahon hit into a double play with a sharp grounder to the Worcester pitcher. Justin threw the ball to second ahead of Swayne and McMahon died at first on a close decision. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Sixth Inning

Keegan attempted to slip one over on the Lowell infield and laid down a bunt toward third base. McMahon was waiting for it, however, and shot the ball to Meyers ahead of the runner. Billy was again called into play on Cooney's grounder and again a put-out resulted. Gardella drove the ball over left field fence which went foul by a very few feet. If the wind had not changed its course the score would have been a tie. Gardella's next attempt was a fly which dropped into Swayne's glove for the third out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

About this time the fans were trying to borrow gloves and buy overcoats. An enthusiasm for anything but a warmer climate was at a premium. Barrows spanked one to centre-field for a single. Stimpson sacrificed his manager to the next station. Meyers lifted to Young in short-left, near the foul line. McCleskey's high fly was accepted by Keegan. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Seventh Inning

Potteiger took a toe-hold and leaned on Lohman's first offering for a triple over Stimpson's head. The former Lowell outfielder did some tall hustling around the bases. Cabrera sliced the atmosphere three times in a feeble attempt to bring in another Worcester run. Carroll laid down a beautiful bunt which squeezed in Potteiger with another run, tying the score. Carroll was out at first. McMahon threw out Young on the latter's grounder to third. One run, one hit, no errors.

Dee sent smashing single into left. The ball went by Gardella 60 miles a minute, or thereabouts. Greenhalge attempted to sacrifice Shorty along a sack, but popped out to Gardella. Lohman singled to left, sending Dee to second. The crowd broke into enthusiastic entreaties for another run. Swayne sent up a fly to Potteiger. Potty did not have to move for it. McMahon went out on a grounder to the Worcester pitcher and the score was still a tie. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Eighth Inning

Dee and Meyers worked smoothly to the extinction of Donahue. Lohman threw out Justin. McCleskey knocked down Keegan's grounder and pegged the left fielder out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Cooney was in front of Barrows' grounder and the Lowell manager died at first. Stimpson lifted to Young and was an easy out. Mayers' grounder along the first base line was taken by Cabrera. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Ninth Inning

Cooney drove a hard grounder at McMahon and Billy pushed it to first for the put-out. Dee took Gardella's grounder and threw to first, Meyers taking the ball on the first hop for the put-out. Potteiger slammed a single over second into centre. Cabrera flied to Barrows in short centre. No runs, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit a slashing grounder to the left of Young. The latter stopped the ball, but could not recover the ball in time to get Mac. Dee popped a Texas leaguer into left, McCleskey going to second.

McCleskey went out trying to steal third. Dee took second on the play. Greenhalge struck out.

Lohman singled to centre. Dee tried to score and was thrown out at the plate, Potteiger to Carroll. No runs, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Tenth Inning

Carroll walked. Young reached first when Dee failed to stop his grounder, Carroll going to second. It was the first error of the game. Donahue attempted to sacrifice but Carroll was forced at third.

Justin singled to centre, scoring Young. Donahue was caught between second and third. Keegan singled to right centre, sending Justin to second. Cooney forced Keegan at second with a grounder to Dee. One run, two hits, one error.

Swayne flied to Keegan.

McMahon was thrown out, Carroll to Cabrera.

Barrows tied the score with a home run over the right field fence. The crowd rushed onto the field and the game was held up while Empire Branfield sent them back to the bleachers. It was one of the longest hits ever seen at Spalding park.

Stimpson flied to Donahue. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Eleventh Inning

Gardella groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. Potteiger flied to Barrows. Cabrera flied to McMahon. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Meyers flied to Donahue. Young threw out McCleskey at first.

Gardella made a one-hand catch of Dee's liner. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Twelfth Inning

Carroll struck out. Young singled.

Donahue dropped a Texas leaguer into right, Young going to second. Justin flied to Barrows.

Keegan singled to left, scoring Young and sending Donahue to third.

Cooney groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. One run, two hits, one error.

Greenhalge doubled to left centre.

Lohman doubled to left centre, scoring Greenhalge.

Swayne hunted safely, Lohman going to third.

McMahon foul-flied to Carroll.

Justin was taken out and Johnson went in for Worcester.

Barrows rolled to Johnson, Swayne going to second.

Stimpson groundered to Cabrera. One run, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 4, Worcester 4.

Thirteenth Inning

Gardella singled.

Gardella went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Potteiger's sacrifice fly.

Cabrera groundered out, McMahon to Meyers.

McMahon threw out Carroll. One run, one hit, no errors.

Meyers flied out to Cooney.

Gardella threw out McCleskey.

Cooney threw out Dee.

The score:

WORCESTER

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Keegan lf	6	0	3	3	0	0
Cooney 2b	6	0	1	5	4	0
Gardella 3b	6	1	1	4	2	0
Potteiger cf	4	2	2	4	1	0
Cabrera 1b	6	0	0	14	2	0
Carroll c	5	0	1	6	1	0
Young ss	5	2	1	1	2	0
Donahue rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Justin p	5	0	1	0	3	0
Johnson p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	48	5	10	39	16	0

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McMahon 3b	5	0	0	3	3	0
Barrows cf	6	1	2	6	1	0
Stimpson lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meyers 1b	6	0	1	21	0	0
McCleskey 2b	5	0	1	2	2	1
Dee ss	6	0	2	1	5	1
Greenhalge c	5	1	1	4	3	0
Lohman p	5	0	3	0	6	0
Totals	46	4	13	39	25	2

Worcester	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1		—5
Lowell	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0		—4

Two-base hits: Carroll, Greenhalge, Lohman. Three base hits: Stimpson, Potteiger. Home run: Barrows. Stolen base: Dee. Sacrifice hits: McMahon, McCleskey, Stimpson, Potteiger. Double plays: Justin, Cooney and Cabrera. Left: Lowell 9, Worcester 6. First base on errors: By Worcester 1. Bases on balls: Off Justin 3; off Lohman 2. Hits: Off Justin 13 in 12 1-3 innings. Struck out: By Justin 2; by Lohman 3. Wild pitch: Lohman. Umpire: Bransfield. Time: 3.01.

RANGE OF BIG GUNS

INVENTOR OF MELINITE SAYS THERE IS NO LIMIT, IN DISCUSSING BOMBARDMENT

PARIS, May 4.—"Theoretically there is no limit to the range of big guns," said Henry Turpin, the inventor of melinite, to a representative of the Petit Parisien in discussing the bombardment of Dunkirk. "When I was attached to the technical artillery section of the ministry of war General Andre, then minister, asked me to make special experiments to see if it was possible to produce a projectile with a range equivalent to the distance from Calais to Dover. My first experiments and calculations showed it was possible to attain a much greater range than that."

It was while connected with the ministry of war that M. Turpin invented the aerial torpedo which the Germans appear to be using on both fronts and the inventor is unable to understand how they learned the secret.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS

LONDON, May 4.—A British official announcement, issued today, says Germany is arranging through the American ambassador to accord exactly similar treatment to the British officers who have been especially confined in Germany as that given by Great Britain to German submarine prisoners.

When Great Britain captured the crews of certain German submarines these prisoners were not sent to the regular camps but were allotted to special barracks. Hearing of this the German authorities took a number of British officers prisoners in their hands and in retaliation subjected them to treatment as harsh as that visited by the British on the submarine prisoners.

Investigations were made through the American embassies in both Berlin and London with the result that the treatment of both these sets of prisoners was found not to be as harsh as had been imagined.

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ST. MICHAEL'S MISSION

The Edifice Crowded at Second Night of Men's Mission—Sermon on Justice by Fr. Murray

St. Michael's church in Centralville was crowded last evening when the second service of the mission for the men of the parish was opened. Every seat in the big auditorium was filled and extra seats were placed in the sanctuary and outside the altar railing to accommodate those who could not find seats in the body of the church. The choir loft was also comfortably filled.

Rev. Fr. Murray, O. P., gave the instructions and preached the sermon. In opening he told of the good work already started by the men of the parish and urged all to persevere to the end, that the mission might prove an unprecedented success. In order to do this, he said, it was necessary that every man in the parish attend the services in the evening throughout the week, and also the masses in the morning.

In his sermon, Fr. Murray took for his text a passage from the sixth chapter of St. Matthew as follows: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all other things shall be added unto you.

The reverend preacher then told of the extraordinary kindness and mercy of God, and of the reward He has promised those who remain faithful. The kingdom of heaven, he said, means peace in this world and everlasting happiness in the next, if we but remain true to the teachings of the church and show our sense of justice to Him who created the world out of nothingness. In order to realize this fully, said Fr. Murray, every man has to show to the world his sense of justice, which in other words is a square deal. Give your neighbor his just due, said Fr. Murray, by setting the example of leading a good life, and all promised things will follow. Fr. Murray then told of the man who thinks he is deeply imbued with the spirit of a square deal towards his neighbor, in that he pays all monetary debts, and perhaps returns the kimonesses shown by his neighbor. But all this, said Fr. Murray, is not satisfying in the eyes of God. God wants and expects, said Fr. Murray, that every man show his spirit of justice and duty towards his neighbor by example, by attending mass regularly on Sundays and holy days, by frequenting the sacraments, and by avoiding sin in all its forms.

Man never thinks, said the preacher, of giving a square deal to God who has done so much for him and he never thinks of paying to God what is His due.

Fr. Murray told of the justice that should be shown to the Holy Ghost, for enlightening the soul of man and of the spirit of justice that should be shown to the church, which has fought sin and vice for centuries. This attribute very rarely shows up in man, said Fr. Murray, although he goes out and openly boasts of his love of a square deal.

He also told of the enemies of the church and religion and of their antagonism to both because of the activity shown by each in combatting the evils of the world. I want to know, said Fr. Murray, if every man in this vast congregation has enough sense of justice not to play into the hands of these enemies of the church to set a good example to them by leading good and wholesome lives.

Fr. Murray told of the sense of justice due the pastor of the church and his assistants, saying that the pastor wants not sufficient money to run his parish but he does want the salvation of the souls of his parishioners. By his hard and untiring work to this end, said Fr. Murray, the pastor is entitled to a square deal, and the men of his parish should give him his due. He also told of the debt owed to the self-sarrificing wife and mother.

In closing Fr. Murray urged all to show a spirit of justice towards the world and to God by leading good lives. By doing this he said, they would be deriving the real joys of life, and their reward would be amply reaped in the life to come.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, with Rev. Francis Mullin as celebrant. During the service the sanctuary choir under the direction of Choirmaster James A. Murphy, rendered "Praise to the Holiest," "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo." Preceding the sermon, Fr. Lawler recited the rosary, the congregation responding. The services ended with the singing of the hymn "Holy God" by the congregation.

ASH BARREL FIRE

A telephone alarm at about 10 o'clock this forenoon was for a fire in an ash barrel in the rear of a house on Ames place, off School street. No damage.

SEALERS ICE BOUND

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 4.—Three steamers of the sealing fleet returned from the Gulf of St. Lawrence yesterday with a total of 3400 pelts, one of the smallest catches known in the industry. The Diana had 400 pelts, the Viking 500, and the Terranova 2500. The sealers Eagle and Bloodhound are ice bound at Green Pond, Bonavista Bay on the east coast. Their return will end the season, which has been the poorest in the annals of the colony.

REWARDED FOR HEROISM

BOSTON, May 4.—As a reward for holding back a crowd of aliens who attacked Dr. H. B. C. Reimer at the immigration station last week Giovanni Magni, who had been detained as undesirable, was given his freedom yesterday. He was under deportation orders but Secretary of Labor Wilson reversed his decision because of Magni's heroism.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Continued

names on the waiting list. Brief reports were made by Mrs. Grace C. Perham, chairman of the house committee; Mrs. W. G. Eaton, chairman of visitors' tickets; who reported that 50 waiting list tickets have been sold during the year and Miss M. Maude Lancaster, who gave a condensed account of the year's program.

The following delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Marlon, June 24 and 25, were chosen by nominations from the floor; Mrs. C. W. Russell, Miss Grace Ward, Mrs. S. H Thompson, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Miss Bessie B. Hadley, Mrs. Willis G. Eaton, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney and Miss Ella M. Wells.

Mrs. Sidney R. Fleet read the report of the playground committee, the work of which will soon be taken over by the park commission. Credit for the present success of the playgrounds was given largely to the first chairman, Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy. Mention was made also of the valuable cooperation of the college club and the park commission.

A vote of thanks was extended to many who have extended special favors to the club, including Mr. Stevens, the janitor, and a vote of appreciation was extended to the retiring officers. Mrs. Proctor, the new president, was escorted to the platform by Miss Ward and spoke briefly, expressing her thanks for the honor conferred and asking for the cooperation of the members in keeping up the high standard of the club. A reception to the retiring officers was held in Middlesex hall, and refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

Miss Ward's Report

The annual report, read by the retiring president, Miss Grace Ward, was quite interesting. It had the following parts:

Once a year it seems to be incumbent upon us to ignore that very familiar and excellent exhortation to "Look out and not in; look forward and not back," and to adopt quite the contrary rule in reviewing the work of the year.

This year will be memorable in history as the year of "the war." While we have tried to do our part in helping to alleviate the unspeakable suffering across the seas, we have made an effort not to allow the tragedies of the war to enter too much into our club program, for we have felt that this year, if ever, we needed diversion and good cheer. If the year has been a success and brought to you both pleasure and profit, we are glad. To no one person is the credit due, for the machinery of a club like ours requires many heads and many hands, but all working in harmony can achieve great results.

The report of the chairman of the playground committee shows how much the club is indebted to her and her able assistants for their excellent, economical and efficient management of their part of the playground work. It is to be hoped that the city fathers will become more impressed with the importance of the recreational work among the children, and that in due time Lowell will attain to the front rank in living up to its opportunities in this particular.

Policewomen

The civics department, besides assisting the education department in the moving picture investigation, has been active along several different lines, having given much time and thought to the subject of tuberculosis. Success has crowned their efforts, at least to the extent of providing a special tuberculosis district nurse, through the Lowell Guild. They have also been studying the subject of policewomen or police matrons, whose duty it is to supervise the public dance halls and to see that the young women reach home safely at night. In cooperation with the board of trade they have assisted in carrying on a city beautiful and clean-up campaign. The horticultural exhibit held in Middlesex hall in connection with this was the first of its kind in Lowell, a remarkable display and a credit to the city.

It is gratifying to hear so many words of commendation for the year's program, and yet it is no surprise to hear that others (we hope not many) have not found the course as interesting as usual! One feels like asking "Did you hear Professor Phelps describe his literary pilgrimage in England, or his lecture on Robert Browning? How about Dean Brown, didn't you enjoy him? And Mrs. MacDowell and Mr. Garrett on the Lorna Doone country, were they not delightful? Didn't Mrs. Kidder take off the London Flower Girl well? What an inspiring lecture Dr. Cabot's was, and wasn't the music of the Longy club a revelation of what wind instruments may do?"

Though our social obligations have not been numerous, they have been excellent in quality and well attended. Our "Gentlemen's Night" in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the club was a marked success and many requests have come that such an affair be repeated oftener than once in ten years.

On March 12th we discharged our social obligations to some of the other clubs by inviting the Massachusetts delegates to the Chicago biennial to attend a reunion of our club and share with us the lecture on Browning by Prof. Phelps. By the expression of their faces, as well as by their spoken words, it proved to be as one of them expressed it "a banner day" for them.

Three large packing boxes of clothing have been sent to the Belgians; one has been distributed among the poor of Lowell, while two other boxes of old cotton and linen have been collected for use in the hospitals of northern France. These latter helped to supply 36 cases, containing 232,938 pieces, which were sterilized and sent under the auspices of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. We have also been instrumental in raising several hundred dollars from the citizens at large for the purchase of food for the war sufferers. The latest advices from the front tell us that no more clothing is needed (at least for Belgium), but they urge all committees and individuals to focus their efforts upon supplying food, of which there is a serious and growing shortage.

The club has appointed two delegates as members of the Flying Squadron permanent committee, and one member to represent the club in investigating the conditions of the public dance halls.

In closing, your president wishes to take this opportunity to express to you her sincere appreciation of the unfailing kindness, encouragement and loyalty that have been shown her during her three years of service, and her hope that she may not have proved unworthy of the confidence that has been placed in her, nor of the honor conferred upon her.

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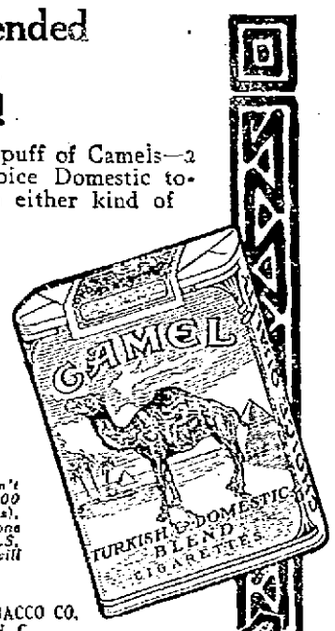

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All friends of American business, of labor, as represented by the ordinary worker, and of the general public should beware lest, in the abuse of power, any group, whether among the capitalists or among the labor interests, should go too far in its demands. Full prosperity can survive only through friendly co-operation, and it is very possible for a misguided group to exercise selfishness to such an extent that the results should be general disorganization and industrial depression.

It must be apparent to the labor unions, for instance, that in some cases their demands may approach confiscation. They may organize successfully, may become a power politically and industrially, may right many wrongs and finally make demands that can only be met at public expense. In many lines of manufacture and business generally the margin between profit and loss is narrow, and in such cases, heavy labor demands will result in higher prices for the customer or the consumer. In this way it is quite possible for the worker to get an increase in wages that must be later paid back in a higher price for the commodities of life. It is not the amount of wages received that is all-important in the long run; it is the amount that the average worker can save, or the living that he may enjoy from his earnings. It is the purchasing power of the dollar.

This fact is illustrated by the coal situation. Some years ago coal was less than $6 per ton; today it is about $8 per ton, and will be higher in the fall. The increase may be due to more than one cause, but the coal producers attribute it to the increased expenditures that have followed labor agitations. Thus, the gain to American labor in wages is offset by the heavy expenses for living comforts. When all is weighed, the direct gain may be found negligible.

Another instance is afforded by the railroad situation. With the advent of the automobile and the electric car, the steam railroads lost heavily in revenue, yet upon the heels of these losses followed insistent demands of all classes of railroad employes for higher wages. These demands could not be well refused, and in most instances they were backed up by the American public, but ultimately the public must pay the cost. Few American railroads now make large profits but still from time to time the employes make demand after demand for higher wages. When added to these demands is the other demand for improved equipment, the lot of the railroads is seen to be anything but rosy. Thus, again, the gain of the railroad employe has resulted in a loss to the general public, and so the circle of increasing demands is again in evidence. In the case of the railroads, it is evident that unless there is a radical change in the attitude of the public, the entire system of railroad transportation will have to be revolutionized, and it may be that then American labor will lose far more than it has ever gained.

New England also has experienced the labor agitation that, after a long deadlock, has crippled some industry and left bitter feelings between the owners of an industry and the workers. When, for instance, shoe concerns of Lynn and elsewhere are driven out of business, who triumphs? The shoe concerns do not win, it is certain, but what do the workers win? Any agitation that would permanently injure an industry is a detriment to labor, and should be frowned upon by all wise people in labor circles and outside.

As unions grow strong they must not abuse their power, if they are to be a permanent benefit to the people. They must beware of extremists and reactionary agitators who care little for the good of any class and aim only at perpetual disruption, for deep-seated reasons. The great mass of American labor union members are sane, public-spirited and patriotic, but they must beware of erratic leaders and policies that would lead them into danger. Any agitation that would aim at extreme measures, that would make unfair demands and that would stir up class passion and prejudice has evil fruits and should be avoided. It is very possible for misguided and short-sighted groups in any class to carry their fight against a grievance to such a point that they would become a greater menace than that which they are ostensibly fighting. All who work for betterment should beware of the vicious circle, the effects of which are evident to the thinker.

WATCH THE HOODLUM

The activities of the hoodlum form one of the most serious problems confronting the police department of all our communities during the summer season. Gangs of young roughs, some of them scarcely out of the nursery and some advanced in their 'teens congregate together early in the season and make themselves generally objectionable. Their vicious habits and practices are a decided nuisance and in many instances they become so objectionable in certain parts of our cities that many hesitate to use out of the way streets after dark or to avail of the parks which are supported by public money for the use of the general public. This is unfortunately as true of Lowell as of any other city and it would seem from the records of the last few years that our hoodlums are growing in number and in power.

The city of Malden had an experience last Saturday which should be a warning to all our communities. There, a parade had been organized for the official opening of the clean-up campaign, and Saturday evening, 500 boys and girls carrying banners with appropriate mottoes started out from the state armory accompanied by the mayor, his wife and representatives of civic leagues. There was a band, and the usual features of such a parade, including American flags. Shortly after the parade started, it was stoned by hooting and jeering crowds of hoodlums who kept up their lawless offences along the line of march, causing many injuries among the marchers. Even the presence of a mounted police squad at the head of the procession did not discourage the villainous roughs who evidently, and perhaps wisely, saw something objectionable to their existence in the starting of a "clean-up" campaign. Malden has learned from this regrettable experience that to clean up the city properly it must not stop at the streets, parks, homes and lawns. It must clean out the organized gangs of hoodlums that have shown themselves to be a great menace to the public.

This is an extreme instance, but to some extent Lowell suffers from the same activity. It is a most regrettable fact that decent girls cannot go to some of our summer parks—especially in the evening—without hearing indecent and insulting remarks, and that people whose homes are in the vicinity of such parks are being continually offended by ribald conversation and profanity. Even where the city hires an official watchman, such things go on, as it is impossible for him to keep a close watch on all the various groups of young roughs that infest some of the parks and make it impossible for decent people to go there. It should certainly be possible for two girls to go unattended by a male escort to any of our parks or commons throughout the day or evening without being grossly offended and insulted by obscene and double-meaning salutations. Nobody will object to sport or play if indulged in legitimately, but all public-spirited citizens will object to our public places being spoiled by the pest of the undesirable hoodlum.

It is obviously difficult for the police department to handle this question adequately, as most of those who are insulted prefer to make no complaint rather than to invite the publicity of a court experience. They simply do what scores have done, resolve to avoid the scene of the insult and leave the park to the undesirables. This does not intimate, of course, that all of the young men, or old men, who use the parks and commons belong to the undesirable class, but anybody who has experience knows full well that the conditions described are very, very common.

Now is the time for the police department to exert itself, while the season is young. All of our larger parks should be adequately policed, and well lighted at night, and those found objectionable should be prosecuted without delay. Evidently in Malden the gangs think themselves more mighty than the police department, and the same feeling will grow up where hoodlums are permitted to indulge in vicious habits with impunity. Now is the time for the police department to keep an eye on the habitual loafers, the unmanly toughs, and the indecent few that by their bad example contaminate many. The elimination of the gangs from our streets and public places removes many a nursery of crime, keeps misery from many a home and protects the public.

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IRELAND AND THE WAR

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The war has affected conditions of course, but the Irish people under their able and responsible leader, know what they are doing, and they know too, what is coming to them at the end of the war. It is to their credit that they are not led into ruinous plots and discord by the paid agents of Germany. Nor is England to be criticized for suppressing pro-German newspapers notoriously supported by German funds.

It is fashionable in some quarters to revile Hon. John E. Redmond, the Irish leader. This is a favorite practice by some men who never before evinced any great interest in the Irish cause and who are in no sense authorized to speak for the Irish people either here or in Ireland. It is fortunate for Ireland that in this crisis she is guided by one of the ablest statesmen in Europe and a man whose patriotism is unquestioned. At present he is having a strong force of Irish volunteers trained at the expense of the government to be ready to defend home rule when the war is over should any attempt be made to restrict or delay its operation.

Everybody regrets the casualties in the war, of course, and no doubt there will be considerably more before the conflict is over; but if Mr. Redmond had opposed recruiting or advised neutrality, there would have been conscription in Ireland and Irishmen would go to the war in hand cuffs while the whole country would be under martial law if not made the scene of bloodshed. Nobody at the opening of this war had any idea that it would be such a terrible conflict; but now that the fate of Ireland is linked with England in the great international struggle, she must continue to do her share until peace is declared. She will then be in a position to defeat any possible attempt to overturn home rule.

The rebellion of 1798 would not be a circumstance to what would follow any backward step on the part of the government whether liberal or tory. Let no man assume that home rule is to be set aside. Mr. Redmond is making that impossible under any condition that can arise and the people are thoroughly united in support of his policy.

SECRET SESSIONS

We should have no secret sessions either in the municipal council or in the school department. On this point the charter is very specific, and any secret conclave, session or conference at a time of official meeting is not strictly in accordance with the spirit of the charter. Some of the worst evils of past administrations were directly due to such secret sessions or plots, and they have been frowned upon by the Lowell public. Recently there has been a tendency to revive secret conferences and sessions, but the practice will not stand the light of pitiless publicity.

It does not seem that in planning for a high school site, a contagious hospital site, a white way or any other improvement, the municipal council has anything to hide from the public; such things, if they are ever to come, will come through the expenditure of public moneys. In voting for improvements our city council simply plans to spend some of that money, and the public should be acquainted not only with the arranged facts but the entire process of coming at such an arrangement. Secret sessions tend to create suspicion in the public mind, and though the most honest aims were intended, one cannot blame the public for being curious. Our charter was arranged to do away with secret sessions knowingly and designedly, and any administration that ignores this fact will be advocating a very unpopular, undemocratic and dangerous measure.

It may be indeed that the publications of plans for a new high school, contagious hospital or other innovation would flood city hall with bids from real estate dealers. There is nothing undesirable in this. In fact, it is quite proper that the widest possible advertisement of such an intention were given, just as our supply department is supposed to provide for fair and open competition. The municipal council need never be afraid of action honestly and openly taken, but it has reason to avoid the secret session as something unpopular, undesirable and against the letter and spirit of the city charter.

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In the specific instance in which the city has withdrawn its intended action against a company that is about to erect an advertising sign, there may have been no other course open to the municipality; still, the episode should not be lost sight of until the law is amended or until a law is framed which would give the city authorities more power. It is decidedly wrong that any local or out of town concern has the power to come here and erect signs of any variety against the expressed will of the city. The withdrawal of the suit has established a very dangerous precedent, and some counter move is necessary if the rights of the public are to be safeguarded.

It is not in Lowell alone that a strong feeling has grown up against large and defacing advertising signs. Everywhere, the public is protesting and municipalities are seeking means to limit the erection of such signs or to make them conform to some code of regulations that will eliminate their most pernicious aspects. We may see, any day we go into our public streets, miserable little buildings right in the heart of our business districts, the owners of which get a good revenue from rented signs or bill boards that offend the eye, keep back property improvement, and make the streets most unlovely, and so long as these conditions are allowed to continue, it is useless to talk about city beautiful ideals. Occasionally one sees an advertising sign or collection of signs that ornament as well as advertise, but in most cases our bill boards and advertising signs are object lessons of the poorest taste.

Now it is alleged that there is no law which gives the city the right to stop the erection of some varieties of advertising signs, but the municipal council can frame an ordinance to prevent unsightly and dangerous signs in any part of the city. The sign evil has been allowed to go too far at the expense of the public welfare and safety.

FOR POLAND

One who walked through the public streets last Saturday and noted the great number of little Polish flags or tags that were worn by the masses must have realized that the appeal for aid was promptly and generously responded to. The American people have been accused of being a sordid and materialistic people but they have shown many times of late that they can always find sympathy in their hearts and money in their pockets when the cry for aid comes from any corner of the devastated earth. Belgium will always hold the spirit of the American people in high regard, and now it is most desirable that poor Poland should receive generous aid from the same quarter. Poland is one of the closest nations to us of all European nations, by the bond of her aspirations for liberty, her championing of the early American struggles, her admiration for our great men, her genius and her sufferings. She has sent us men and women who are among the finest of our immigrant strains, honest, industrious, liberty-loving and virtuous—a stock from which will spring great future Americans. Today she stands in need of aid as never before, and it is to be hoped that many who have not been approached will respond to her call. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the band of zealous workers last Saturday—Polish, for the most part, made an excellent impression on the public by their sincerity, modesty and courteous activity.

INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT

Frank C. Tanner, who succeeded William Barnes as chairman of the republican state committee of New York last year, has issued a statement in which he condemns invisible government in New York, as revealed by the wonderful trial at Syracuse. He says—and who doubts it?—that at times neither the governor nor the legislature has been the real power in control of New York legislation, and he advocates plans to prevent a recurrence of such conditions. His remarks are applicable to all state government, to some extent. Briefly, his plans are to give the government more power, making him directly responsible to the public, and to do away with the many overlapping and conflicting powers of government now existing in certain quarters. The problem is a big one and it is not likely that reform can come all at once, but the Syracuse trial shows that all sincere men in politics and out have a grave and timely task on hand in the routing of evil influences that through graft, political chicanery and all the dubious methods of bossism and kindred ills make invisible government a menace to democracy.

Secretary Daniels is warming up. Smarting under continual and for the most part unjust criticism he now declares that one type of U. S. guns "will shoot farther, shoot straighter, and hit harder than any gun now in use or known to be designed by a foreign country." Bravo, Josh! Nothing of the battleship piffle about that.

The stores should not forget during this time of clean-up activity that clean sidewalks, shiny windows and attractive displays will help the cause along. It is most important to have cleanliness in the residential districts, but it is imperative that we have order and cleanliness in the business districts.

Washington reports optimism over the continued indications of business improvement. The increase is slow but is all the more sure for that reason. Still, it is but a prelude to coming prosperity, if Americans take advantage of their opportunities.

This is the best walking weather of the year. The roads are in good condition, the prospect is refreshing and spring throws its jewels in handfuls along the way. Look up, throw back the head and face the open fields. There, one finds not war but health and mental refreshment.

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THE INTRODUCTION

Some time ago an eminent speaker returned from a tour through the back counties, and gave a recital of his experiences to a few of his personal friends.

"Speaking of the inevitable chairman," smiled the orator, "I ran across one who was unique, indeed. Instead of making a speech about three hours long in introducing me, he——"

"I know," grinfully interjected one of his friends; "he just said: 'The orator of the evening,' and ducked."

"No, not exactly," responded the speaker. He said: 'I don't intend to stand here and bore you ladies and gentlemen, but will introduce Mr. Smith, who can do it a whole lot better.'"

SHIRT-SLEEVE GENERAL

It was in South Africa that General French earned the title of the "shirt-sleeve general"—a sobriquet that conveys a subtle compliment from "Tommy's point of view. Actually French was often to be seen walking about in camp during his heavy marches in shirt-sleeves, writes Mr. Cecil Chisholm, in his biography of Sir John French (Jenkins.)

One afternoon a correspondent rode up to the lines, and, seeing a soldier sitting on a bundle of hay, smoking a dilapidated looking old briar pipe, asked where the general was.

"The old man is somewhere about," coolly replied the soldier.

"Well, just hold my horse while I go and search for him."

"Certainly, sir," and the smoker rose obediently and took the bridle.

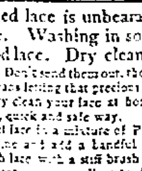
"Can you tell me where the general is?" inquired the correspondent of a staff officer farther down the line.

"Gen. French? Oh, he's somewhere about. Why, there he is, hold that horse's head!"

And the officer pointed directly to the smoker, still tranquilly pulling at his pipe and holding the horse. Needless to say, "Uncle French" and his men hugely enjoyed the correspondent's awakening.

HARD TO BE FUNNY

Charles Chaplin, known as the funniest man in the movies, frequently seen in the films in local theatres was unknown a little more than a year ago and today theatre patrons the whole world over are laughing at him. "Being funny is serious business," says Chaplin, "but if you take it seriously it's fatal. Sounds like a paradox doesn't it? Let me try and explain just what I mean. "It is the character itself you are attempting to portray that contains whatever bits of comedy you are going to succeed in 'getting over.' The peculiarities, idiosyncracies or peculiar situations in which you can place the character are innumerable. In consequence playing say a comedy barber role calls for very serious study of the character of a barber. The moment, however, you have drained dry the particular character you are studying you must drop all evidence of seriousness and proceed to act the part with such spontaneity that when the camera records your efforts it will appear as though each motion you have made was done on the spur of the moment. There must be realism in comedy. Coarse burlesque is no longer wanted. It is the deviation from the ordinary that makes the picture funny. Some little act that is unexpected and causes a surprise brings the laughs. But this act must be natural and in accordance with what the character might easily do in real life. If the action appears to be forced it merely appears absurd and fails to be funny."



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Soiled lace is unbearable—and unwearable. Washing in soap and water ruins good lace. Dry cleaning is the only safe way. Don't send them out, though,—it's expensive and it means letting that precious lace out of your hands.

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Put lace in a mixture of Putnam Dry-Cleaner and gasoline and add a handful of flour if lace is white. Brush lace with a stiff brush or whisk broom. Rinse in clear gasoline, allow to dry and brush again to remove the flour.

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LAW OF LARCENY

I noticed that Madge didn't speak to
 Lucille.
The chum of her heart, when they
 met on the street;
And my curious wonder I could not
 conceal,
So I asked: "Why this coolness when
 bosom friends meet?"

Said Madge: "I'd a kiss stolen from me
 last night,
By Harold Van Duser (of sinners the
 chief);
And later, Lucille took that kiss with
 delight—
I regard the receiver as worse than
 the thief."

—John W. Condon in Manchester Union.

If Madge tells the truth, when Lucille
 "took that kiss"
From poor helpless Harold, it's our
 firm belief
Though it injure her pride and puncture
 her bliss,
She was not a receiver, but just a
 plain thief.

But ere we condemn her let's get at
 the facts:
She stole what was stolen before, we
 suppose.
Now what is the rule in regard to such
 acts?
"Second thief is best owner," the old
 saying goes.

—Rody McPhee in Springfield Union.

If the kiss is her property, Madge's
 we mean,
And one she could recognize plainly
 on sight,
We believe we could fix the whole case
 all serene,
Please Lucille and please Madge and
 please Harold, all right.

Have Lucille give the kiss back to
 Harold-ker-smack!
In the presence of Madge, to see it
 was the one:
Then, when he had got it, Madge might
 take it back,
Then all would be as 'er the trouble
 begun.

—Judd M. Lewis in Houston Post.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

HIGHER EDUCATION

It would seem that circumstances are tending toward free higher education. States may before long furnish free college instruction just as cities do free school instruction. The result may be fewer private schools, but it cannot be helped. Such schools would not, we should imagine, appeal as generally as the public grammar and high schools do. The number to whom higher education means something is limited. Instead of encouraging a college education for every boy and girl, there should be a call for the select fit. There should be no wastage in free higher education.—Woonsocket Call.

THE EXPOSURES

The trial of the Barnes-Roosevelt libel suit continues to bring to public notice the inside of a number of political deals which have involved leaders of the republican and democratic parties in New York in the past. These disclosures would be a benefit if there were any likelihood that the exposure will prevent a recurrence of such things, but can anything prevent this so long as political parties are conducted as they have been and still are?—Newport News.

LYNN CLEAN-UP

"A stitch in time saves nine," says the proverb, and if the spirit of the saying is allowed to control the action of housekeepers, their premises will be far more pleasing in appearance than the ordinary back yard in the opening days of spring. Now that the city has undergone a regular spring cleaning, the thing to be done is to make its present condition permanent. Cleaning by instalments and at frequent intervals will relieve the necessity of such work as that which has engaged the attention of the people during the week now closing.—Lynn Item.

INFLOW OF WORKERS

That inflow of workmen from Europe that President Gompers would have the government restrict ought to be left to work itself out. If the workmen come to this country it will be because there is opportunity to work in this country—somebody wants to hire help. The man who wants to hire help ought to be allowed to. It means that more work will be done. More wages. More money spent in the stores. Greater prosperity.—Lewiston Sun.

NAVAL ACTIVITY

Vague rumors of new activity on the part of the German high seas fleet have not, so far, developed any real evidence of a departure from the waiting policy of the kaiser's navy. The reported shelling of Dunkirk is now said to have been conducted from a point some miles inland, not from warships. The German headquarters statement confirms this later view. The belief that naval lines are slackening is an apprehension rather than a discovery. The expectation of a great naval test has been strengthened, lately.—Brockton Times.

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BOY MURDERED

Mutilated Body Was Found in Tenement Hallway, New York

NEW YORK, May 4.—Charles Murray, 4½ years old, was murdered last night near his home on the lower East Side by an unknown person. The child's mutilated body was found in the hallway of a tenement house not far from the scene of the recent murder of Leonore Cohen, aged 5.

The Cohen girl's body was found on March 15 last and, like that of the Murray boy, had been hacked with a knife. The murderer was never caught.

Charles Murray was seen playing in the yard back of his home last night 20 minutes before the crime was committed. A 6-year-old sister of the murdered boy gave the police a description of a foreigner who, she said, she saw hurry out of the hallway before the finding of the body.

As in the Cohen case, the murderer left no clue. The father of the boy stated that his son returned Sunday from a two days' visit to relatives in Brooklyn. He said members of his family had never been threatened.

A man who was accused by young girls of chasing them with a knife was taken into custody shortly before the body of the Murray boy was found.

GAS ON THE STOMACH

When colicky pains accompany the presence of gas on the stomach the need of a gentle laxative to clear away the offending food residue is imperative. If the condition of constipation is not quickly corrected a coated tongue, eruptions on the skin, headaches and backaches soon show that the poisons have found their way into the circulation.

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MOTORIST IN COURT

CHARGED WITH FAILING TO STOP WHEN PASSENGERS ON A STREET CAR WERE ALIGHTING

LAWRENCE, May 4.—Joseph F. Bertsch of Jamaica Plain was in the district court here yesterday before Judge Mahoney, charged with violating the automobile laws and the city ordinances. The case was continued until May 15. It is charged that the defendant failed to bring his machine to a stop when passengers were alighting from a street car and also failed to keep on the right side of the street and as near the curbing as possible.

William Anderson of 98 Osgood street and George Towler of North Andover were struck Saturday night by Bertsch's car in front of the Bay State street railway transfer station, but escaped with minor injuries.

COBURN MISSION

A feature of the annual meeting of the Coburn Mission Sunday school, which was held at the mission in Varnum avenue, was the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Superintendent, Carl H. Palm; assistant superintendent, Henry Palm; secretary, Ralph Tewksbury; assistant secretary, Hazel Milliken; treasurer, Percy Edwards; assistant treasurer, Anna P. Marshall; librarian, Harold Fall; assistant librarian, Olga Boudry; prayer meeting committee, chairman, Olive Palm, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Milliken, E. Louise Field; social committee, chairman, Mrs. C. Boudry, Olive Palm; flower committee, chairman, Edna Palm, Rae Clark, Olga Boudry; calling committee, chairman, Carl H. Palm, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Miller; building committee, chairman, Arnold B. Marshall, J. Hoyle, Henry Palm; library committee, chairman, Louise Field, Mr. Boudry, Anna P. Marshall; auditing committee, chairman, Herbert Palm, Mrs. Arnold B. Marshall; press committee, chairman, Henry Palm, Arnold Marshall.

TUFTS EXPERT'S BILL CUT

Judge Reduces Sum Given Dr. A. W. Balch for Service at Worcester Murder Trial to $225

WORCESTER, May 4.—Dr. Alfred W. Balch of Tufts medical school, who served as blood expert for the defense in the trial of Felix Vadenais, Jr., of Manchaug on charge of murder of Joseph S. Goldberg, is allowed $225 for his services by Judge Sanderson who presided.

Dr. Balch presented a bill for $375, including $150 for three days' laboratory work.

The court has allowed the bill of $500 of Dr. W. F. Whitney of Harvard Medical school, blood expert for the government.

CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, May 4—Congressional investigation of the appointment of Chas. N. Nagel, former secretary of commerce and labor, as neutral member of the arbitration board which settled the wage dispute of engineers and firemen on 98 western railroads was demanded in a resolution adopted last night by delegates representing the men's organizations.

Such an investigation is necessary the resolution asserted, if further controversies between labor and capital are to be adjusted amicably.

AVIATOR MAYES KILLED

EL PASO, Texas, May 4.—Jack Mayes, a San Francisco aviator, was killed yesterday at Aguascalientes in making a test flight of one of the aeroplanes purchased for the Villa army, according to a telegram reaching here yesterday.

The message said Mayes was flying at the rate of sixty miles an hour when his biplane struck a building, crushing the aviator's head and shoulders.

AVERT STRIKE OF CLERKS

Mission of U. S. Mediators Proves Successful at New Haven—Differences Due to Promotion Plan

HARTFORD, Conn., May 4.—A strike among the freight clerks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has been averted, it was learned here yesterday, through the mediation of two men sent here recently from Washington by the department of labor.

The men were Clifton Reeves and Patrick Gilday. They spent several days in Hartford and in New Haven and returned to Washington Sunday.

They had a conference with R. G. Stearns of New Haven, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Freight Clerks, and Mr. Stearns was quoted yesterday as saying that, while there were differences between the men and the company, there would be no strike now.

Details of the trouble were refused, but it is understood that it had to do with the plan followed in making promotions, it being claimed that the men promoted do not receive the same salaries as those whose places they take.

Last Friday, when it was announced in Washington that the two mediators had been named, Pres. Elliott of the New Haven gave out a statement saying he knew of no trouble between the road and its employes.

TO JOIN RED CROSS IN SERBIA

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—Six Brown men last night signified their intention of joining the American Red Cross in Serbia where a campaign against the ravages of typhus fever is being conducted. The men will leave for Serbia May 13, at which time a contingent from several universities will be sent.

The men are as follows: Graduate student, Lowell C. Kendrick, of this city; senior, Homer E. Van Derwerken of Middle Granville, N. Y.; juniors, Paul L. Russell of White Plains, N. Y., Harold G. Sacton of Brockton, Mass., and Henry L. Cohen of this city; sophomore, Isaac Y. Olch of this city.

WILL APPEAL SHOE DECISION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Attorney-General Gregory yesterday decided to appeal to the supreme court the antitrust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company, recently dismissed by a federal court at Boston.

Appeal will be taken under the expediting act, and the attorney-general will ask for a writ of error. Arguments will be made at the fall term of court, if possible. Mr. Gregory looks upon this case as one of the most important now in the court involving the Sherman anti-trust act.

The department is considering bringing in the near future an additional proceeding against the shoe company under the Clayton anti-trust act, which forbids "tying contracts" such as the government alleges this company has used in dealing with competitors.

PAY HONOR TO PRES. SHUMAN

BOSTON, May 4.—A. Shuman was tendered a complimentary luncheon at the City club yesterday noon following his election for the 25th term as president of the board of trustees of the Boston City hospital. Mr. Shuman is now serving his 30th term as a member of the board. Following the luncheon, Mr. Shuman reviewed at considerable length the work being done at the City hospital and the hopes that he had for its future success. He also expressed pleasure at the possibilities laid open to the trustees through the taking over of the West Roxbury Parental school buildings.

Joseph P. Manning was elected secretary for a fourth term.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE

The regular meeting of the members of Tewksbury grange will be held in Vestry hall, Centre village, this evening and the public is cordially invited. The subject of discussion will be "Education."

KEITH'S THEATRE

Crowded houses should prevail at all performances at Keith's theatre this week, for the program there is one of the best ever given in this city. All acts are of the top notch variety and each is sufficiently classy to be styled as a headliner. The audience last night was very large and that those present enjoyed the program was attested by the applause that greeted each and every number.

One of the most novel offerings seen here in many moons is "The Fashion Shop." The feature is one that is bound to please even the most fastidious theatre goer. Hugo Jansen is a real designer of women's garb, and he demonstrates during the time that he is before the footlights just how to adjust yards of material to the figures of the four young women who assist him in his number to bring attractive results. Jansen works with pins and deft fingers, and the remarkable gowns that are so made up would cause the spectator to believe that he were at an extensive gown shop.

Of course, the gowns were draped around experienced demonstrators, but nevertheless the expeditious manner in which the work is carried out by Mr. Jansen stamps him as a wonder at the game.

He takes a few yards of cloth, throws it around the model, and in a shorter time than it takes to tell it you are confronted with a woman all dressed for a ball.

Altogether six dresses are fashioned, each entirely distinctive, and on the final three days of the week Jansen will change his program of gown creating entirely, and will advance a half dozen of new models.

A pleasing comedy story is included in the feature, and this adds greatly to its successful presentation. Blanche Latell appears as the farmer's daughter, "Neuralgia," and Earl Corr, an experienced funny man, is seen to advantage as "Hiram Corncob," who is on a tour of sightseeing in New York. Maida Burker, as the principal model, sings and dances cleverly.

Five young women designated as the Five Violin Beauties contribute a very pleasing number. Included in the quintet is Miss Ethel Sharrow of Lowell whose ability is well known to Lowellites. At last night's show she was given an ovation. The girls play, dance and sing, and do all excellently. Their final number shows them appearing in costumes of various nationalities and playing melodies suggestive of those nationalities. Daphne Lewis made an attractive Scotch lassie, and Maziebelle Valeta was a rollicking Dutch fraulein, while Miss Sharrow, dancing an Irish jig inimitably, was a real hit as a colleen from the Emerald isle. Miriam Glover played a hot-blooded Spanish number, and looked the senorita from Spain, while little Miss Anderson wound up the review as a harem beauty.

A voice usually heard at a grand opera performance emanated from behind the wings of the stage last night and sweetly floated over the theatre and all prepared to look upon the prima donna who finally appears and to the surprise of all, the owner of the sweet voice is a mere man. The act is labelled Milo—?—but there is no question about the ability of the performer. He possesses a beautiful voice and knows how to use it to the best possible advantage.

A very clever little comedy entitled "The Fixer," is also on the bill. It shows the woman editor of a country newspaper, the corrupt mayor of a backwoods burg, the omnipresent printer's devil, and the advance man of a circus engaged in a tangle, which only ends when the advance man—the fixer—hands a sockdologer to the mayor and decides that he will settle down in a small town, and take unto himself a bride. Walter D. Nealand, is all that would be desired as the fixer, and Miss Marion Buell is adequate as the woman editor, while William Howatt furnishes considerable good comedy as the devil.

Hilton and Roberts furnish a good number, replete with fun and laughter and Marcus and Clements give several grand opera numbers that please immensely. The musical chef, the opening number, and the Hearst-Selig pictures are very good. The football game, last fall, between the teams of St. John's academy, Danvers, and St. Vincent de Paul's team, of the Middle West, is bound to arouse enthusiasm.

Good seats may be obtained in advance at the box office. The telephone number is 28.

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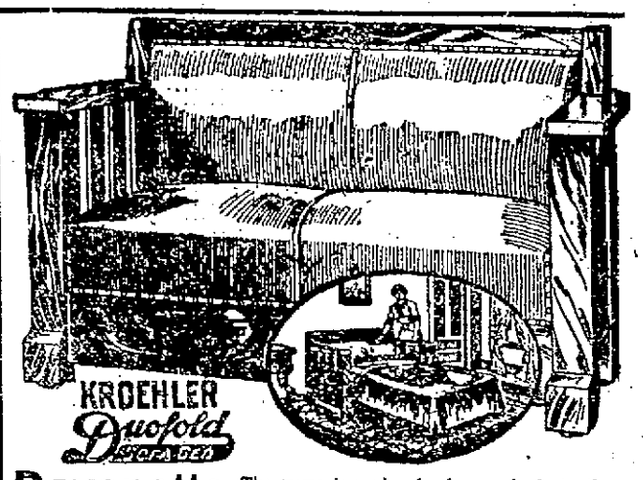

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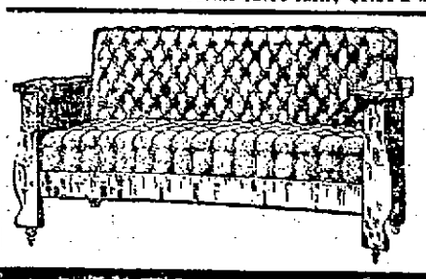

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20 Stamps with large Bot. of A&P Grape Juice..... 20c
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10 Stamps with 2 boxes Bull Frog Shoe Polish, each..... 5c
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Ranch life in California in the early days is beautifully and powerfully portrayed in "The Rose of the Rancho," showing at the Academy of Music today and tomorrow. Another feature on the program is a two-reel episode in "The Black Box" mystery serial. Two other high class pictures, one a stirring drama in two parts, and the other a sparkling comedy film, complete an entertaining performance.

ACADEMY
Today and Wed.
Bessie Bariscale
"The Rose of the Rancho"
"The Black Box" and Others

THE OWL THEATRE

Nance O'Neil, the idol of Lowell, a former resident of our city, and a world-famous tragedienne attracted record-breaking crowds at the Owl theatre yesterday. She was starred as Miriam in "The Kreutzer Sonata" a famous play written by the celebrated Count Leo Tolstoi. This production is the most dramatic film portrayal ever seen in Lowell. It is a maelstrom of emotion in which Miss O'Neil is seen to her greatest advantage. Her acting is a marvel of the art of expression. They may hire actresses from far away, but the American actress is the nearest to the heart of the public as was shown yesterday. Five other films complete a great show. It will be repeated today. Coming Wednesday and Thursday, "The Pit," with Wilton Lackaye, the play which he made famous on the stage.

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In Leo Tolstoi's "Kreutzer Sonata" in pictures.
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—OTHER FEATURE ACTS—

NANCE O'NEIL
The Lowell Tragedienne in "Kreutzer Sonata" at the Owl Tonight

PERJURY CHARGE

Safford Says Osborne is Man Who Registered With Rae Tanzer

NEW YORK, May 3.—Frank D. Safford, the hotel clerk indicted on a charge of perjury in connection with his identification of James W. Osborne, a well known lawyer, as the man who registered with Miss Rae Tanzer at a New Jersey hotel last October, reiterated on the stand in his own defense today that Osborne was the man he had seen at the hotel.

Safford related with minute detail many of the incidents leading up to his previous identification.

He said:

"I have looked at Mr. Osborne in court since and the more I have looked at him the more I am convinced that he is the man and I won't take it back. I didn't do it for pay and I have not committed any perjury."

WEAVERS STRIKE

Employes in Seven Mills of the Fall River Iron Works Co. Quit

FALL RIVER, May 3.—Union weavers in all seven mills of the Fall River Iron Works Co. went out on strike this afternoon as the result of a notification alleged to have been given out by the overseers in the weaving departments that unless the weavers worked a part of the noon hour they would stand suspended. Several hundred left their work and reported to the headquarters of the union, where a meeting was held.

The Fall River textile council and the weavers union have been fighting the policy of noontime operation of looms at these mills and a conference held with the superintendent, William Evans, resulted in the Textile council being given to understand that it was optional with the weaver whether he worked the additional time or not. The weavers union reports that three of their number have been discharged for refusing to work. It was then voted to strike in case of further discharges. The alleged threat of suspension was equal to a discharge in the opinion of the weavers and they walked out. The Iron Works mills employ about 1400 weavers, and the union officials at this time cannot say what percentage of this number is out.

ASK GERMANY FOR FACTS

SEC. BRYAN WANTS NEWS ON TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Secretary Bryan announced late today that he would instruct Ambassador Gerard to inquire of the German government the facts in connection with the torpedoing of the American ship Gulflight by a German submarine.

ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPANESE NEWSPAPER SAYS JAPAN WILL SEND FIRM NOTE TO CHINESE GOVERNMENT

TOKIO, May 3.—The Jiji Shimpo, a Japanese newspaper of good standing, issued an extra edition this afternoon in which it made the statement that Japan would send an ultimatum to China, the Chinese reply to the latest Japanese communication regarding the demands of the Tokio government being considered unsatisfactory.

The Japanese cabinet was in session for six hours today. A telegram was hurriedly sent to the Japanese ambassador at Peking.

The Ihara News Agency this afternoon said that the emperor might issue an important order in a few days.

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

HAVERHILL, May 3.—Thomas Chase, 69 years old, reputed wealthy and a retired Haverhill ice dealer, was found dead in his room today. Death was caused by inhaling illuminating gas. Chase was a Civil war veteran, serving in the Third Massachusetts heavy artillery. With his brothers he controlled the ice business of this section for many years. He disposed of his interests two years ago. He was also interested in lumber operations.

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Stock Market Closing Prices, May 3

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75¾	73¼	73½
Am Beet Sugar	49⅝	48	48⅛
Am Can	42⅞	39⅞	39⅞
Am Can pf	99½	99⅜	99⅜
Am Car & Fn	57⅞	56½	56½
Am Cot Oil	52	50¼	52
Am Hide & L pf	36⅝	34¾	34¾
Am Locomo	56	54¾	54¾
Am Smelt & R	73¾	71	71
Am Smelt & R pf	107½	107¼	107½
Am Sugar Rfn	111½	110½	110½
Anaconda	36¾	35⅛	35⅛
Atchison	102½	101½	101¾
Balt & Ohio	77¼	76⅛	76¼
Balt & Ohio pf	71⅝	71½	71½
Br Rap Tran	90½	89½	90
Canadian Pa	164½	161	161
Cast I Pipe	15⅞	15⅛	15⅛
Cast I Pipe pf	45	45	45
Cent Leather	41½	39	39⅛
Cent Leather pf	103	103	103
Ches & Ohio	46½	45⅝	45⅝
Chi & Gt W	12¾	12¾	12¾
Col Fuel	33⅛	31½	31⅛
Consol Gas	130	129	129½
Den & Rio G pf	15	15	15
Dis Secur Co	16⅛	15	15⅛
Erie	28⅞	27¾	28
Erie 1st pf	44¼	43⅛	43⅛
Erie 2d pf	37	36½	36½
Gen Elec	159½	155⅛	157
Gt North pf	121	120	120½
Gt N Ore ctf	37¾	35¾	36
Illinois Cen	110½	108	108
Int Met Com	22½	21½	21½
Int Met Com pf	72½	71¼	71¼
Int Paper	11½	11	11½
In S Pump Co	7⅛	6⅛	7
Kan City So	27¼	25½	26½
Kan City So pf	68⅝	65½	65½
Kan & Texas	14	12¾	13¾
Kan & Tex pf	34¾	34⅝	34⅝
Lehigh Valley	143½	142¼	142⅜
Louis & Nash	120⅞	120⅞	120⅞
Missouri Pa	15⅛	14¾	14⅞
Nat Lead	68½	65½	65½
N Y Air Brake	93	89	92
N Y Central	90	88½	88½
Nor & West	105¾	105¼	105¼
No Am Co	76	76	76
North Pacific	109½	108	108⅝
Ont & West	32¼	31½	31½
Pennsylvania	109¾	109⅝	109½
People's Gas	119	118	118
Pressed Steel	55⅞	52	52½
Ry St Sp Co	38	35¾	36¼
Reading	151¾	148⅞	148⅞
Rep Iron & S	31¾	29⅞	29¾
Rep I & S pf	88½	88	88
St L & So'wn	16½	16½	16½
St Paul	95⅛	93½	94
So Pacific	93	91⅞	92
Southern Ry	18⅝	18	18⅛
Southern Ry pf	58	58	58
Tenn Copper	34½	33¾	33¾
Texas Pac	15¾	15⅛	15⅛
Third Ave	54½	52½	53½
Union Pacific	132⅛	129¾	129⅞
Union Pac pf	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
U S Rub	69⅞	67¾	68
U S Rub pf	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
U S Steel	60¾	57⅝	58⅞
U S Steel pf	108⅝	108¼	108¼
U S Steel 5s	102¼	102¼	102¼
Utah Copper	68¼	65⅛	65½
Wabash R R	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
Wab R R pf	3⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Westinghouse	103¾	95¾	98¼
Western Un	68¼	68	68⅛

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 3.—Led by zinc stocks the local mining market weakened today although the selling movement was not extensive. American Zinc declined to 42 at the opening and Copper Range fell to 34. Other stocks were dull and lower.

FLEEING FROM AUSTRIA

UDINE, Italy, May 3.—Italian consuls in Austria-Hungary, are recommending that all Italians leave the country as soon as possible.

As a result of this warning, Italian merchants, manufacturers and professional men are arriving today at Udine from points in Austria.

A SHADE OF DULLNESS

FEATURE OF OPENING—LIST SOON REBOUNDED SHARPLY — CLOSING WAS HEAVY

NEW YORK, May 3.—The characteristic feature of the opening market today was a shade of dullness which reflected itself throughout virtually the entire list. Prices of the most prominent issues receded fractionally from the closing quotations of Saturday, although the motor stocks maintained their rising tendency throughout the early trading.

Early offerings were absorbed with such confidence that the list soon rebounded sharply. U. S. Steel led the recovery, repeating its recent high quotation of 60⅞. Other important stocks rose to figures well above last week's final quotations even specialties like Westinghouse making up most of their final declines. Selling was resumed before midday, however, on publication of advices from Washington which intimated that this government intends to make representations to Germany in connection with attacks on America vessels. Prices again fell one to three points in prominent stocks.

The market registered its third decline of the session in the early afternoon and the entire list fell lower than before. War specialties showed losses of five to almost ten points from Saturday's close on heavy selling.

Lowest prices ruled in the last hour, Steel falling three points under its best quotation, with proportionate declines elsewhere. The closing was heavy.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 3.—Mercantile paper 3 1-2a3 3-4. Sterling exchange steady; 60 day bills, 4.8650; for cables, 4.7960; for demand, 4.7915. Bar silver, 50 1-4; Mexican dollars, 38 3-8. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds heavy.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 2 3-4; 90 days, 2 3-4a3; six months, 3 1-4a3 1-2.

Call money firm, high, 2 1-2; low, 1 3-4; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1 3-4; offered at 2.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 3.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 9.75; July 10.05; Aug. 10.15; Oct. 10.37; Dec. 10.52; Jan. 10.56; March 10.76.

The close was steady.

May 9.74; July 9.93; Oct. 10.27; Dec. 10.47; Jan. 10.51; March 10.74.

Spot quiet. Middling 10.20. Sales 24,700 bales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROAD			
Boston Elevated	81	81	81
Bos & Maine	35	34½	34½
N Y & N H	67½	66⅞	66⅞
MINING			
Adventure	3¼	2¾	2¾
Alaska Gold	38⅜	35⅛	36⅛
Algomah	3⅜	3	3
Allouez	54½	53	53
American zinc	44	41¾	42
Arcadian	10⅞	10	10⅛
Ariz Com	8	7¼	7½
Butte & Superior	69⅛	64	66½
Cal & Ariz	71½	68	68
Cal & Hecla	575	560	560
Centennial	20½	20	20
Chino	46	44½	45
Copper Range	57⅛	54	55
Daly-West	4	4	4
E. Butte	13⅜	12¾	12¾
Franklin	12	10¼	10½
Granby	85	83	83½
Greene-Cananea	31¾	31½	31½
Hancock	22	22	22
Indiana	8¾	8½	8½
Isle Royale	28⅛	27	27
Kerr Lake	5	5	5
Lake	14½	13¾	14
La Salle	6½	6½	6½
Mass	12⅞	12	12½
Mayflower	6	6	6
Miami	26¾	25½	25⅞
Mohawk	78	72	73
Nevada	15⅞	14¾	14⅞
Nipissing	6⅞	6⅛	6⅛
North Butte	35¾	33½	34
No. Lake	3	3	3
Old Colony	5¼	5	5
Old Dominion	55	55	55
Osceola	85	83	83
Quincy	86½	85	85
Ray Con	23⅞	22¾	23
Santa Fe	2½	2¼	2¼
Shannon	10	9	9
Superior	35	33¾	34
Superior & Boston	4	3⅞	4
Tamarack	39½	38	38
Trinity	6½	6	6
U S Smelting	40	38⅛	38½
U S Smelting pf	47	46	46
Utah-Apex	3⅜	3¼	3⅞
Utah Cons	13	12¾	13
Utah Copper Co	68¾	65¾	65½
Winona	5⅛	4½	4⅝
Wolverine	63	61½	62
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	122½	122	122
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem Com	57	57	57
Am Ag Chem pf	92¾	92½	92¾
Am Pneu pf	17	16	16
Am Woolen pf	89	87¾	87¾
Mass Elec pf	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
Mass Gas	82	81	81
Mass Gas pf	88½	88½	88½
Pond Creek	16	16	16
Swift & Co	109¼	109¼	109¼
United Fruit	141¾	140	140
United Sh M	62¾	62	62¾
United Sh M pf	29	28½	28¾

FEDERAL SUPERVISION

MAYOR CURLEY ARRANGED FOR TRANSFER OF QUARANTINE SERVICE

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Mayor Curley of Boston arranged here today for the transfer of the quarantine service at Boston from city to federal supervision and for the designation of Dr. Richard H. Creel of the public health service as chairman of the Boston board of health.

POLISH TAG DAY

The exact amount of the Polish Tag day collections was $1458.64, but other sums to come in will make it $1500, as stated elsewhere.

WILL OF JOHN CUDAHY

LEAVES ENTIRE ESTATE TO WIDOW AND FOUR CHILDREN—ESTIMATE ESTATE AT $1,500,000

CHICAGO, May 3.—The will of the late meat packer, John Cudahy, filed for probate court today, leaves the entire estate to the widow and four children. The instrument does not mention the value of the estate. The bulk of the property is to be held in trust for seven years when all of the heirs except John P. Cudahy of Kansas City may take it over.

Counsel for the testator valued the estate at $1,500,000.

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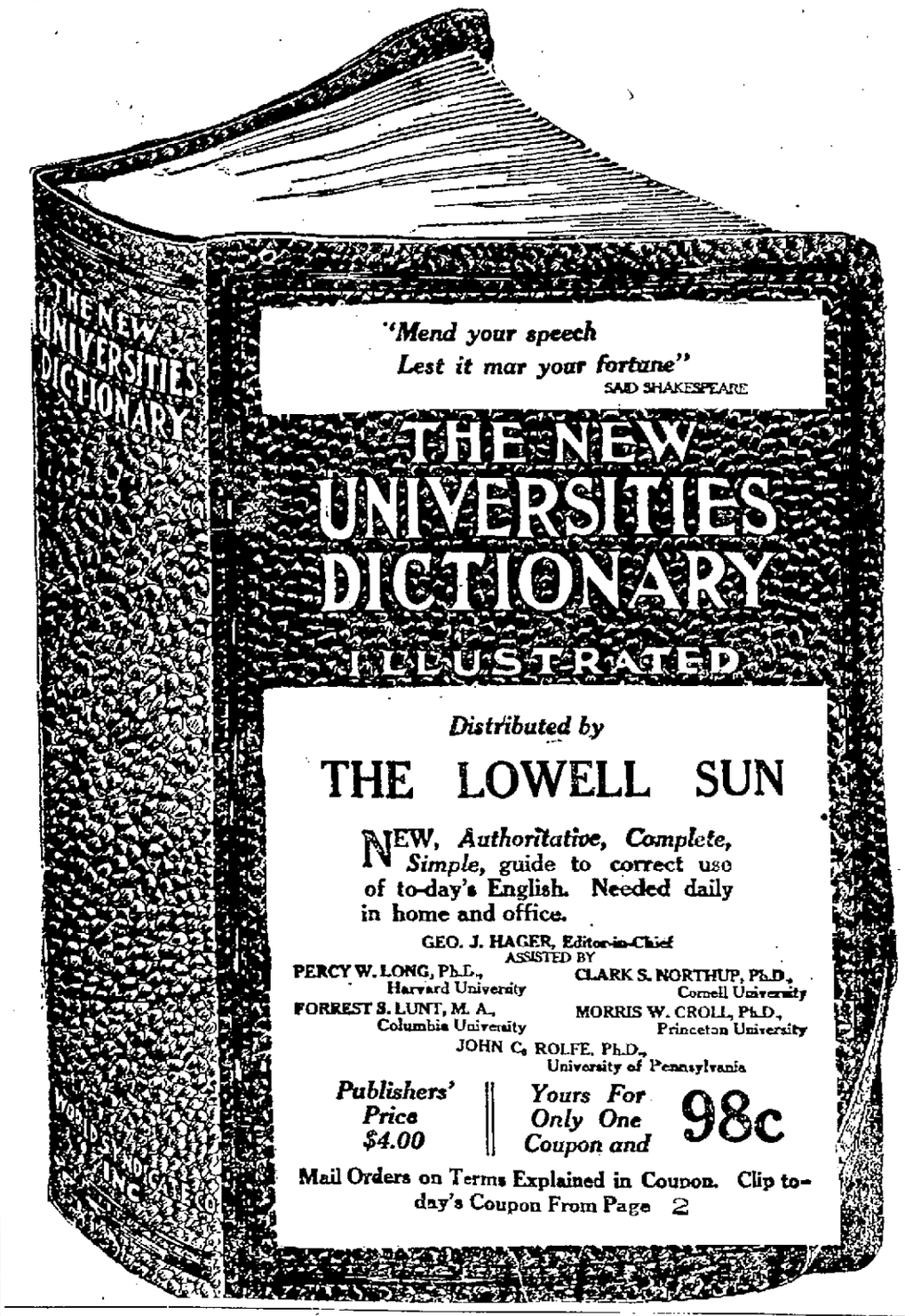

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HE DROPPED DEAD

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—Congressman J. A. Golden of New York City dropped dead in the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad this afternoon.

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OFFICIAL REPORT ON THE TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The first official report of the torpedoing of the American tanker Gulflight reached the state department today in an undated despatch from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, saying the attack was made Saturday but the vessel was still afloat and that patrol boats were attempting to tow her to the Scilly Islands.

Consul Stephens' message follows:

"American tank steamer Gulflight torpedoed off Scilly Islands first instant. Captain died heart failure. Body landed. Two of crew drowned, 34 saved. Vessel afloat, patrol boats attempting to bring her into Scilly."

CAPT. GUNTHER'S CAREER

NEW YORK, May 3.—Captain Gunther of the Gulflight, who lost his life when that vessel was sunk by a German submarine was 57 years old. Early in the year he took a cargo of cotton from Port Arthur, Texas, to Amsterdam. In January of last year he was in command of the steamer Oklahoma which broke in two in a gale on the New Jersey coast and was rescued with seven of his crew by the steamer Bavaria.

OWNER MAKES STATEMENT

NEW YORK, May 3.—It is not the purpose of the Gulf Refining company, whose steamship, the Gulflight, was torpedoed off the Scilly islands by a German submarine, to press any claim through the United States government at this time, according to George S. Davidson, president of the company.

"I will be in Washington tomorrow and will call at the state department," said Mr. Davidson. "Our property was covered by insurance in no way connected with the government marine insurance. That, of course, will be paid, and the only matter to be taken up with the government will have to do with the relief of the families of Captain Gunter, the wireless operator and the seamen whose deaths resulted from the attack. There are no more of our ships in that vicinity now but we are not going out of business because we have suffered this loss."

THE FILTRATION PLANT

That the contractor will have finished with the filtration plant at the boulevard before August 1, the time mentioned in the contract, was the statement made by Supt. Thomas of the water department. Contractor Gow is pushing the work for all it is worth and everything is going along as smoothly as though the ways were oiled. The only possible holdup feared by Commissioner Carmichael will be on the city's end of the contract and will have to do with sand. The commissioner believes, however, that he will be able to get enough of the right kind of sand to go through with the job without causing a delay.

MEETING CALLED OFF

The meeting of the city planning board scheduled for 2.30 o'clock yesterday did not materialize. Mayor Murphy waited in his office until three o'clock and then went to the ball game, having heard in the meantime from the secretary of the planning board that the meeting had been called off.

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SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, May 3.—No arguments will be heard in the supreme court after May 14 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 12. From May 14 until the court recess late in June it will meet on alternative Mondays to announce decisions. No cases of wide importance were decided today.

GENERAL VON HINDENBURG'S VISIT TO HOSPITAL ACTS AS TONIC TO WOUNDED GERMANS

VON HINDENBURG, INDICATED BY ARROW, AT FIELD HOSPITAL IN POLAND.

Field hospitals of the Germans in Poland are models of German thoroughness. The most advanced surgery is practiced. On a recent date it was announced to the patients that General von Hindenburg, whose successes have made him the war hero of Germany, would pay the hospital a visit. Doctors agreed that this visit did more to help along the wounded than all the medicines at their command. Von Hindenburg went through the wards and whispered words of cheer and encouragement to the wounded war victims. After the visit, with several of the doctors, nurses and others, he posed on the steps of the hospital, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

KEEPING A ROOM IN ORDER

"It seems as though I never could keep our living room in order," complained Marjorie as she came upon Marie putting to rights her aunt's living room where she had just finished unwrapping a huge number of packages, the result of madame's shopping tour of yesterday.

"Why not make a 'catch-all' like that one hanging inside that closet door. It will help very much in keeping your living room tidy."

"Tell me how to make one and I will do it at once," enthusiastically broke in Marjorie.

"It is very easy," answered Marie. "If in every living room there were a handy receptacle for odds, a number of oft-wanted-in-a-hurry, things would not be thrown into a waste paper basket and finally upon an ash heap.

"A sort of catch-all that is inconspicuous as well as ornamental, and which may be hung up is made by deeply facing a circle of material of about a yard's diameter with some of the same material.

"These two edges are next separately bound in order to keep them firm and the two layers are then partioned into six pockets labelled distinctly 'string,' 'tissue paper,' 'braids,' 'lead pencils,' 'tacks,' and 'memorandum pads,' leaving the seventh and larger pocket formed by the center of the main circles for heavy wrapping paper.

"Along the edges of the contrivance, between each pocket, is attached a strand of the binding material, and these drawn together under a big fancy button, form its hangers.

"The catch-all is pretty in printed cretonne, figured denim, embroidered crash or any of the substantial fabrics of which utility bags are made. Its hand bindings may be of a silk, wool or linen weave, or of tinsel gimp, if the bag is upholstery damask or jersey."

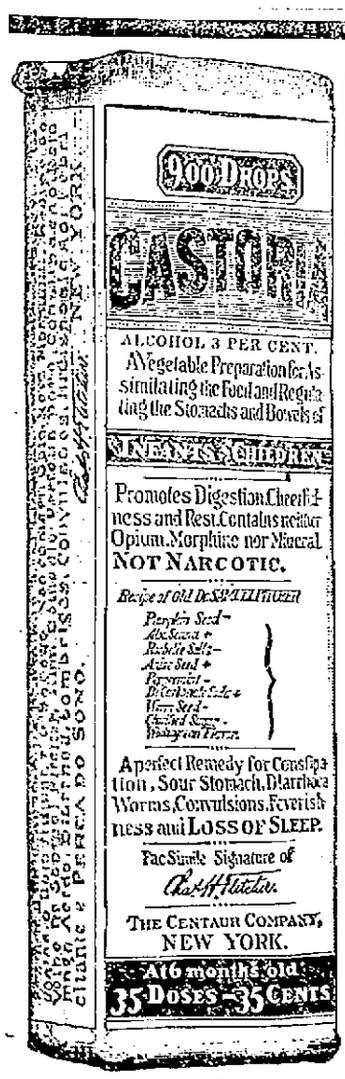
"Thank you so much," said Marjorie gratefully. "I am sure I can make one and it will greatly help me in keeping the living room tidy."

EXPENSES CUT ORDERED

Washington Sends Orders to Custodian of Buildings of Treasury Department Here

BOSTON, May 3.—Notice from Washington was received yesterday by the custodian of buildings of the treasury department ordering a sweeping reduction of the running expenses for May and June. Every person in the department will be affected. The notice says in part:

"It will be necessary to furlough each and every member of the custodian force paid from the appropriation 'operating force of public buildings' during the months of May and June, 1915, for a total period of eight days without pay. During these months no leave whatever will be granted with pay. The eight days need not be taken continuously, but should be granted in days and half-days and at such intervals as will insure the best possible upkeep of the buildings under the circumstances."



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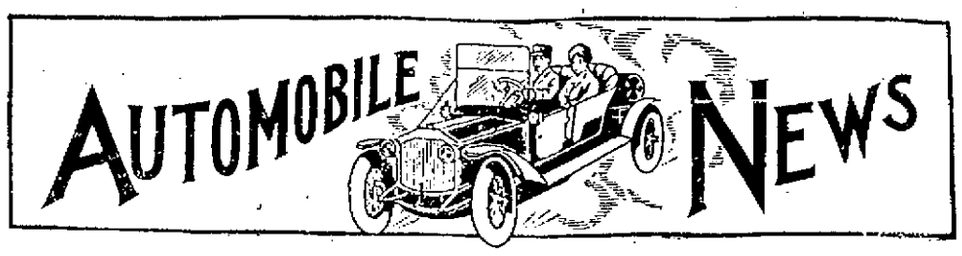


LOCAL MOTORCYCLE CLUB

ENTERTAINED MEMBERS OF BAY STATE ASSOCIATION — LATER ALL WENT TO NASHUA

The members of the Bay State Motorcycle club were Sunday the guests of the Lowell Motorcycle club and later the two organizations wended their way over the Pawtucket boulevard to Nashua, N. H., where they were entertained by Mr. Prew, the Nashua agent of the Harley-Davidson motorcycles. The members of the Bay State organization left Boston in the early forenoon and speeded over the road to this city, making their headquarters at the store of Joseph Parmentier in Moody street, the local agent for the Harley-Davidson machine.

While in this city the boys were escorted through several of the clubs and after enjoying a dainty luncheon the trip to the Gate city was undertaken. The party arrived in Nashua in the early afternoon and they spent a few hours as the guests of Mr. Prew, who threw open his bowling alleys for the visitors.

The members of the Bay State Moto cycle who made the trip were as follows: J. H. Wing, captain; George Downs, first lieutenant; M. S. Pierce, sergeant; William Burney, George Downes, Donald Pope, winner of many races at Readville; Silas Smith, Joseph Hoffman, William Norwood, Dan. Sullivan, C. W. Cartwright, Arthur White, C. N. Stanley, N. C. Stanley, W. G. Carpenter, F. E. Carpenter, E. Simmons, Max Myerow, M. C. Trowbridge, C. W. Swanson, George Swanson, J. C. Silver, G. W. Cross, A. R. Candiff, N. Delidines, Fred Crosey, S. J. Rogers, R. M. Linnell, E. S. Weaver, H. F. Whiffletry, W. E. Willett, C. E. Willett, Gen. Campbell, Miss Draper, Miss Pauley, C. Williams, Jesse Campbell, H. C. Johnson, Miss McArdle, William Halladay, Miss Lillian Day, J. Armitage, Fred Steeroff.

The Lowell club was represented by the following: George Garmon, president; Eugene Ricard, secretary-treasurer; Joseph Parmentier, Thomas Lacourse, and Mrs. Lacourse, Henri Duval, Joseph Dirant, James Farley, Fred Coupe, Lawrence Parley, Harold McDonald, Sam Alack, J. Singelais, Jos. Lapointe and Mrs. Lapointe, Ed. Bellerose, Fred Duval, Albert Boucher and Mrs. Boucher, G. M. Fugat, Paul Davis, Fred Desjardins, Jr., Napoleon Lachance, John McClure and wife, Thomas Curran, Alphonse Lajoie, Fred Curran, Romeo Couture, M. Gervais and Miss Gervais, Joseph Parmentier, Joseph Roussel, Joseph Goyette and Pierre Bourgeois, owners of a camp at Willow Dale, will keep open house for all motorcycle riders next Sunday. All who would like to pay a visit to the camp are requested to call at Joseph Parmentier's store in Moody street at or before noon. A luncheon will be served at the camp and a good time is in store for all who will call.

Arthur Cummiskey Motor company has sold Joseph Flynn a Jeffrey four.

Vigeant's market, cor. Merrimack and Suffolk streets has purchased a Vim delivery truck from Philip Bibeault of the First street garage.

The Sawyer Carriage company, Worthen street is having big sales of Firestone truck tires. Like the pneumatic tires of the same make these tires are popular among truck users. The Firestone people were the pioneers with the demountable rim and have enjoyed unparalleled success with this manner of putting on tires which they were the first to recommend. The operation of putting on solid truck tires is identical with the way the pneumatic tires are put on.

At Jean's salesrooms there are some big bargains in used cars at all prices. Some are for sale at prices as low as fifty dolars. A feature about this establishment is that it will procure any make of a car at approximately the price one wishes to pay. One has but to tell of his wants. Last week an amusing incident occurred at the Jean's salesrooms. There was for sale a Ford touring car of very ancient vintage. It was one of the first 300 cars to leave the Ford factory and is over fifteen years old. Last Friday John Carroll and Paul Cement took it down Merrimack street and when they reached the square they were held up by the traffic officer and in compliance to the mandate of the official put on the brakes but though the spirit was willing the brake was too weak to hold the car and the little old Ford rambled right along until in desperation the occupants jumped from the ancient vehicle and one getting in front of it and the other behind, held the refractory machine stationary. The old Ford showed that there were still a few kicks left and had not yet succumbed to the infirmities of old age. The old Ford had a contemporary at the salesrooms that first saw the light of day at about the same time. Its companion was an ancient one-cylinder Cadillac, also a relic of old decency. This "one lunger" was also very active in spite of the wear and tear of years. Last week the "one lunger" took a party of four up Sixth street hill, clearly showing that although a "one lunger" it was by no means tubercular.

A new department has been opened at the Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen street. This week marks the beginning of a welding department at this busy establishment. Here experts will repair broken crank cases, frames, etc., in a most reliable manner. It will not be long before this new department will be busy with work as are the many other departments of this company.

Judging from reports one might think that Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart had enough time to sell cars of makes other than Fords. However this is not the case for the little time that is not spent in selling Fords Mr. Rochette needs for sleep. A great many motorists are having new tops and slip covers for their autos made at the Donovan Harness company, Market and Palmer streets. During the week just past this firm has received a number of orders of upholstering jobs.

Clarence A. Cunningham, 17 Hoyt avenue, is agent for the Priggen portable steel garage. The garage has been designed to meet the very rigid law requiring that every garage to be of fireproof construction. The Priggen garage is framed with 1½ in.x1½in.x⅛ inch angle irons covered with galvanized sheet metal in imitation of stucco, cement, bricks, clap-boards, cement block or corrugated iron. Mr. Cunningham would be pleased to give information to any interested party.

Today George W. Morrison, well known in automobile circles, gives some reasons why he can make it profitable to the auto owner to purchase tires from him. Mr. Morrison is also agent for a six-cylinder, seven-passenger car which sells for $1550.

George R. Dana is offering a rare bargain in a slightly used limousine which is in fine condition, having been used by a private family. It's a bargain for someone.

Jos. Parmentier, agent for the Harley-Davidson motorcycle, has delivered a three-speed model to Napoleon Lachance at Cheever street.

Joe McGarry is proving to be a popular gas dispenser.

The number of members of the Lowell motorcycle club is ever growing. Are you a member?

During the past few weeks the Lowell Cycle Shop, Gorham street, has received many shipments of bicycles. Young and old in quest of two-wheelers patronize this shop.

The Anderson tire shop, Paige street, has broken all records of previous years for sales of tires. Charlie Anderson states that the sales of tires during the month of April this year, were 300 per cent. above the sales made in April, 1914. In the vulcanizing line this shop is very busy, but manages to maintain their standard, "Quick service."

A MILLION FORDS

With the completion of the 800,000-car schedule, Aug. 1, 1915, there will be one million Ford cars in operation. A million owners mean dealers in proportion. There are nearly 6000 Ford dealers, and in the hands of these dealers is kept a stock of parts aggregating about $12,000,000.

The ratio of Ford owners, as compared to owners of all motor cars is shown, for example, by California, Iowa and Florida, three extreme points in the Union. More than 50 per cent. of all the automobiles owned in these three states are Fords, and there are 113,000 cars in Iowa, too. There is a Ford dealer every 10 miles in Iowa. In Greater New York city and vicinity there are branches in Long Island City, Brooklyn, the Bronx and Newark.

SPARK ADVANCE

The position of the spark lever should vary with the speed of the motor. For persons who are operating their first car, it simplifies the driving if the spark lever can be left in one position. About the best rule that can be given is to imagine the quadrant divided in proportion to the car speed, assuming that the spark should be fully advanced for the maximum speeds.

In following out this idea, the spark lever should be advanced to a position one quarter of the way down the quadrant for speeds of ten to fifteen miles per hour; a position approximately in the center of the quadrant for speeds of twenty to thirty miles; a position of three-fourths the quadrant for thirty-five to forty miles; and full advance for all higher speeds. If it is desired to leave the spark lever in a fixed position, the position for average conditions of between one-fourth and one-half the way down the quadrant will give fair performance, but the power and general economy will be affected in the extremes of speed variation. The spark should be fully retarded when the car is to be throttled to its lowest speed on high gear.

Providing that the spark lever is neither retarded nor advanced, the opening of the circuit interrupter occurs at exactly the same point in the cycle with reference to the end of the compression stroke, regardless of the speed of the motor. Of course the time interval is shortened with increasing speed.

The end of the compression strike is considered as being the extreme upper limit of the travel of the piston on the compression stroke. This end of the compression stroke may or may not be the time of maximum pressure in the combustion chamber of the cylinder. To obtain the maximum power from the motor, the maximum pressure should come at the end of the compression stroke. This condition depends upon the timing of the spark, relative to the motor speed.

Consider the motor running slowly under a considerable load. The spark is well retarded and the throttle open to a considerable degree. When the spark is fully retarded in the Haynes "Light Six" motor, the spark occurs when the fly wheel has passed dead center by one-half an inch measured on the circumference. Thus, under the condition assumed the spark comes, for all practical purposes, at the instant the compression stroke is completed. Just before the spark jumps across the points of the plug, the mixture of gas comprising air and vaporized gasoline has been compressed to a pressure between seventy-five and eighty pounds per square inch. The spark occurs and the pressure jumps to approximately 350 pounds. The gases expand and drive the piston down so that the pressure is rapidly lowered.

There is an appreciable time interval between the time the ignition interrupter operates and the time when the charge of gases in the cylinder are completely burned or exploded. Perhaps an explanation of what actually takes place within the cylinders would make this fact clear.

First of all an explosion of the gases is nothing more than the rapid burning of gases. The combining of the oxygen brought in with the air, with the tiny particles of gasoline produces a large volume of gas. The burning takes place by a flame cap passing through the volume of gas. This flame cap is a thin wall of flame that starts from the spark and passes through the entire gas with a spherical front. It is the dividing line between the burned and unburned gases. While the burning of this flame is very rapid it is not instantaneous. Its speed depends in part upon the percentage of gasoline vapor in the mixture. A combustible is had only between certain limits. It is possible to get a mixture of air containing too small or two great a percentage of gasoline to be combustible. A mixture considerably diluted with air, as is the case when the motor is running idle, does not permit the flame to pass through it as rapidly as when it is richer.

When the motor is running at a high rate of speed under load, the piston speed is much greater than in the first condition assumed, and considering the same time interval, the piston in this case has traveled down farther from the top than in the first case of the slowly running motor. Consequently, if the interrupter operates at the same point in reference to the end of the compression stroke when the motor is running rapidly, as it does when it is running slowly, the spark will come at the same time interval, but will not come until an instant after the piston has passed the end of the compression stroke and started downward. The time consumed in the complete burning of the gases is added to this lateness of the spark. It can be readily seen that the maximum pressure would not come exactly at the end of the compression stroke but at a fraction of a second later and a certain amount of power will be lost. The effect is that of the piston running away from the gases.

To remedy this condition, the spark lever must be advanced as the speed increases, so that the opening of the circuit interrupter is made at an appreciable time interval before the piston comes up to the end of the compression stroke, such that the time elapsing between the opening of the interrupter and the instant the piston completes the compression stroke will permit the gases to be completely burned at the instant the piston starts downward on the power stroke.

THE AMERICAN MADE AUTO

The thought of automobiles in the far east instinctively brings to mind the picture we used to see of a small, one-lunged affair of pain and sorrow, surrounded by a curious group of gaping natives.

But the tedious evolution of the other side of the world has been quickened considerably by the development of the motor car industry and the invasion of foreign fields by the wide-awake manufacturers of the United States. There are still the 'rickshaws and plodding bullock carts and the sturdy, stunted ponies, but the background must not be confused with the action of the picture.

The little brown brothers of the Philippines were, perhaps, the first of the Orientals to adopt in any sense, the modernized methods of transportation. This can be explained by the American occupation which carried with it an influx of American ideas and American modes of living. Just recently an automobile race meet at Baguio, Philippine Islands, preceded by an endurance run to that town from Manila, was one of the big features of a gala week in Luzon. Over the rough roads and soggy trails between the two cities an American made car led the field, completing the long trip in nine hours and 27 minutes with a perfect score.

A unique event was the slow race, in which the drivers vied with each other in an endeavor to show the big crowd how slow their cars could go without coming to a complete stop. This event, over a quarter of a mile course, was also won by a car of American manufacture.

American automobiles have been able to gain attention and interest in the Philippines by ingenious demonstrations and long, tedious tours through the interior, showing the capabilities of the various cars. While a number of the better class of Filipinos are car owners, the younger generation is still being painstakingly educated to the automobile. Many of the natives are chauffeurs for Americans and foreigners who find them excellent mechanicians and careful drivers.

THE VALUE OF GOOD ROADS

The sentiment in favor of good roads would never have reached its present almost unanimous proportions but for the persistent agitation of those who used automobiles for pleasure. But it must also be admitted that this element is now only one of the many and among the least weighty of the influences that demand more and more good roads.

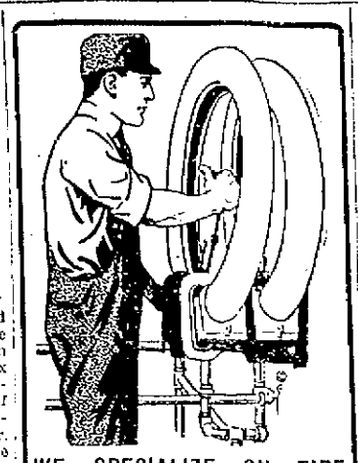
Tradesmen in the towns and cities have found that good roads increase their zone of trade. Farmers find their markets easier to reach. Doctors get to their patients quicker. Rural free mail delivery never would have been accomplished under the highway conditions of former days.

GREAT INCREASE IN BUSINESS

Throughout the United States road officials are everywhere showing themselves keenly alive to the enormous increase in automobile touring manifested this year from all sections, as evidenced by the information they are forwarding to the good roads and touring boards of the American Automobile Association. This information covers the work in progress and the work to be commenced during this month.

CROSS-COUNTRY JAUNT

Supplied with complete camping outfit and provisions, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mills of Butte, Mont., have started on a cross country motorcycle trip. They expect to go first to Spokane and Portland and then follow the coast south to San Francisco. They will spend some time visiting in the west before starting on the return trip.



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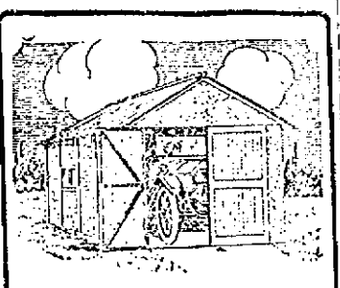

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LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Hinder lightship there was an engagement between two German patrol boats and several armed English steam trawlers. One trawler was destroyed. A division of British destroyers thereupon entered the action and the German patrol boats were lost. The British admiralty declares that a majority of the crew was saved.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK BY ALLIES TO NORTH OF YPRES YESTERDAY

PARIS, May 4.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"There was a German attack yesterday evening on the British front to the north of Ypres. The Germans were driven back by our allies.

"In the Argonne near Bagatelle we delivered an attack which resulted in the gaining of ground."

WAR BULLETINS TELL OF AUSTRO-GERMAN VICTORY OVER RUSSIANS

VIENNA, May 4.—War bulletins issued by the Austrian and German army headquarters and posted in Vienna yesterday and today bring news of the Austrian-German victory over the Russians in western Galicia.

A large Austro-German army has been steadily concentrating before Cracow for the past three weeks with the purpose of making a new offensive movement. All available Austro-Hungarian troops have been quietly transferred during this time to the Dunajec front and for a fortnight past an unbroken stream of troop trains has been pouring eastward from Frankfort, Berlin and other German railroad centers. Thus was warning given that big events were impending in the east. Newspaper correspondents were permitted to telegraph that a new offensive on the Russian front was in preparation and even to intimate that the blow would fall neither in the Mazurian lake regions nor in the Carpathians. Closer indications, of course, were out of the question.

Final plans for this movement were approved at a conference held in Berlin April 25 between General Von Falkenhayn, chief of the German staff and Field Marshal Conrad Von Hoetzendorf, chief of the Austrian staff, General Mackenson, commander of the German ninth army, who came from the front in Poland also was present at the Berlin conference. He left for the front to take command of the new army that same night after receiving his final instructions. So far as is known Field Marshal Von Hindenburg did not attend the Berlin council of war although he visited German headquarters with General Mackenson shortly previous to this.

It is too early as yet to discuss the full military effect of this victory in Galicia but it is the opinion of Austrian observers that the German and Austrian strategists "got the jump" on the offensive which the Russians were believed to be planning and of which their campaign in the Carpathians was thought to have been preliminary.

The number of prisoners taken by the Teutonic allies mentioned in the first report is noticeably small but the experts here expect that the total number of men captured and the amount of war booty will grow rapidly.

Brilliant Successes

A significant feature of the reports of this victory is the reference to the piercing of the front of the Russian army. The Russian commanders up to the present time usually have been able to avoid a breach in their line by falling back before the line broke.

The political value of this victory of the first magnitude is regarded here as quite as great as the military value. It comes in the midst of the Austro-Italian negotiations and on the eve of the meeting of the Italian parliament and it coincides with the announcement of new Austro-Hungarian loans, the success of which would be materially affected by a victory at this time.

A correspondent of the Neue Frei Press of Vienna at the theatre of the war has sent in the following dispatch concerning the battle of Sunday in West Galicia.

"The Austro-Hungarian offensive succeeded with surprising rapidity. The Russians occupied naturally strong positions on the Dunajec and the Biala, which had been strengthened with every imaginable method of fortifications.

They felt themselves absolutely secure. After a searching artillery preparation, exceeding in intensity anything which has occurred on the northeastern front the Austrians and Hungarians advanced Sunday on the southern wing. They stormed at the first attempt the Russian positions along a front of more than 40 kilometres (24 miles) stretching from the Biala river through Gorlice far into the Carpathian mountains. Their assault was so fierce that the Russian line broke immediately. Many thousands of prisoners were taken, as well as an inestimable quantity of equipment, supplies, cannon and machine guns.

"At the same time on the northern wing another successful advance was carried out," the correspondent continues. "At this point Austrian and Hungarian troops crossed the Dunajec in spite of terrific opposition, stormed the Russian positions and took over one thousand prisoners.

"Other brilliant successes also are reported from the Carpathians."

GEN. BOTHA'S UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA TROOPS CAPTURE OTYMBINGUE

CAPE TOWN, via London, May 4.—5.11 a. m.—An official statement issued here last night says that General Botha's union of South Africa troops on Sunday captured Otymbingue an important post 100 miles east of Swakopmund, German Southwest Africa. The British losses were only eight killed. Five of these men lost their lives in the explosion of a mine during the advance up the Swakop river.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Berlin and Vienna announce great victory in Galicia; Russian army said to be crushed from Hungarian border to Vistula river.

Germans pursue Russians in direction of Riga on the Baltic.

Severe battle is in progress in northern Poland, with the Germans attacking.

Austrians claim gains in the Beskids, Eastern Carpathians.

British repel attacks at St. Julien and at Hill 60.

German assault in forest of Le Prêtre repulsed by the French.

Three Norwegian steamers sunk by German submarines.

Allies reported to have captured Maitos on the Dardanelles.

Washington awaits fuller details before taking any action on the Gulflight.

Canada puts ban on shipment of grain to United States; restrictions on shipments to United Kingdom.

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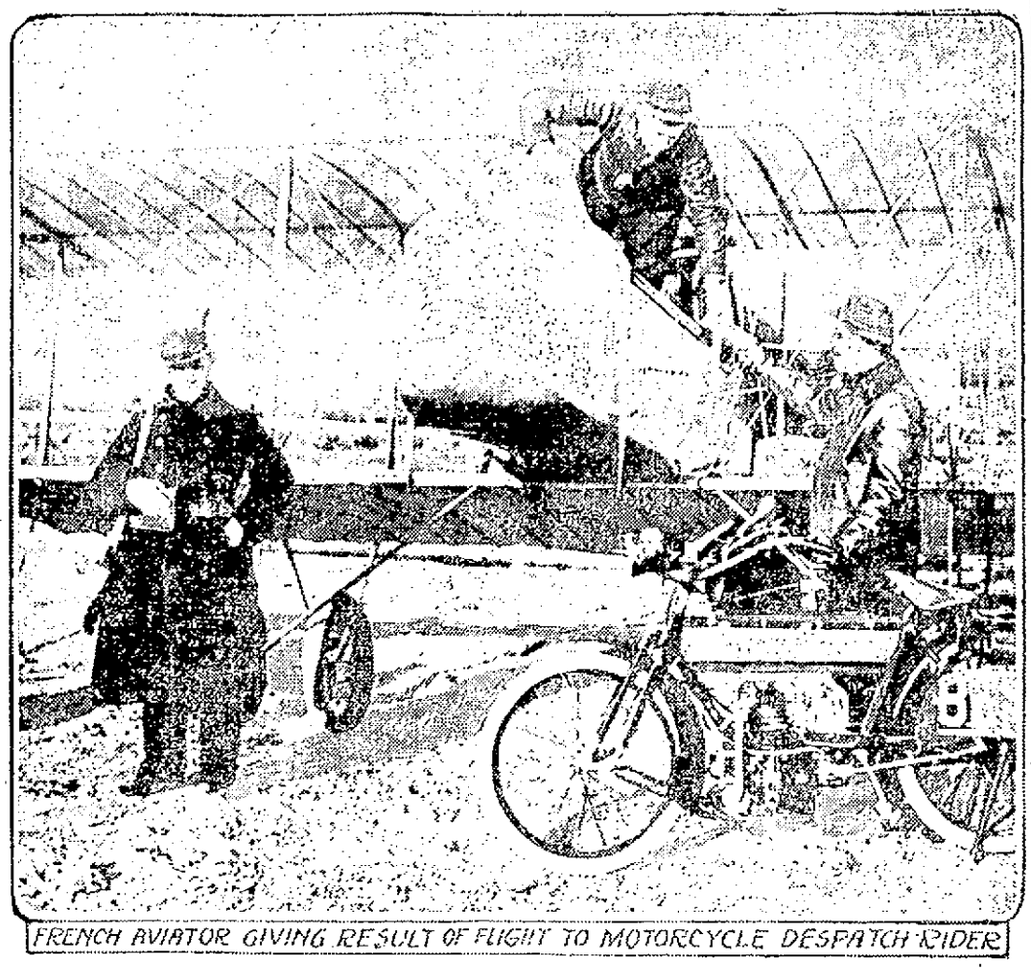

FRENCH AVIATOR GIVING RESULT OF FLIGHT TO MOTORCYCLE DESPATCH RIDER

The war in Europe is remarkable for the adaptation by the different forces engaged of the latest inventions and appliances of all kinds. In the accompanying photograph, taken in the north of France, is shown a French army aviator handing the results of his observations in the air to a motorcycle dispatch rider, who is ready to take it to military headquarters some miles away. The riders of these motorcycles are almost as intrepid as the men of the air. One hundred miles an hour is common for them.

DEATHS

HOLLAND—Mrs. Frances V. Holland, widow of William H. Holland, died yesterday at St. Joan's hospital. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey. Deceased lived at 7 Favor street.

BARCLAY—Mrs. Jessie M. Barclay died yesterday at her home, 17 Corson street, aged 68 years. She leaves her husband, Oscar R. Barclay; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur B. Graves of Nashua, N. H., and Alice R., of this city; one son, Harry J. Barclay of West Somerville and two grandchildren. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church

THORNING—Claretta M. Thorning, daughter of Fernando A. and Edith M. Thorning, died April 30 in Brighton, aged 3 years and 8 months. She leaves, besides her parents, five brothers and one sister.

VAUGHAN—Miss Catherine J. Vaughan died last night at the Lowell General hospital, aged 19 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, her mother, Mrs. Delia Vaughan, one sister, Marietta and a brother Joseph. Deceased was a prominent member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St. Patrick's church. The remains were removed to her late home, 83 Willie street by Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLANCY—Peter F. Clancy, aged 31 years, died this morning at 5 Mill street. He leaves his wife, Helen; one son, Harold; his mother, Bridget; one brother, Benjamin, of Buffalo, N. Y. He was a member of the Bartenders' union.

COONEY—Thomas F. Cooney, a well known resident died at his late home, 292 High street this morning, age 63 years. For thirty years he was foreman of the H. B. Barker steam fitting works and has been treasurer of the local Steamfitters' union for many years. He is survived by his wife, Maria G.; three sons, John M., Thomas F. and Fred W.; two daughters, Miss Elizabeth, Mrs. Gertrude Hessian; two brothers, James P., of Lowell; Peter H., of Dorchester; two sisters, the Misses Elizabeth and Annie Cooney of this city.

McWILLIAMS — James McWilliams, an old resident, passed away this morning at his late home, 7 Keene street. The deceased was a resident of Lowell for many years. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Katherine, and one son, George H.; one sister, Miss Mary McWilliams, and one brother, Michael. He was a member of St. Peter's Holy Name society.

CORDAIRO—Manuel Cordairo, aged 1 year and 6 months, died this morning at the home of his parents, Manuel and Maria Cordairo, 47 Elm street.

NAULT—Mrs. Aubert Nault, nee Sarah Delcourt, aged 77 years, died today at her home, 20 Worthen street. She leaves her husband, two sons, Napoleon M. Lozeau and Joseph Lozeau; three daughters, Miss Arline Lozeau and Mrs. Joseph Fulton of this city and Mrs. Edouard Lambert in Canada.

HOWARD—Died at Clifton Heights, Pa., Miss Clara Belle Howard, aged 17 years, and formerly of this city.

McCARTHY—The funeral of Patrick J. McCarthy took place this morning from his late home, 596 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, Mass., at 8.15 o'clock. A funeral mass was sung at the Sacred Heart church, Roslindale, at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Cummings was the officiating clergyman. The body was forwarded to this city where burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Kerrigan, of St. Patrick's church, read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERAL NOTICES

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Mrs Mary O'Brien will take place from her home, 804 Gorham street at 9 a. m. Wednesday. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of James H. McDermott.

BARCLAY—The funeral services for Mrs. Fessie M. Barclay will be held at her home, 14 Corson street, Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

HOWARD—The funeral of Clara Belle Howard will take place Wednesday afternoon. Services at the Primitive Methodist church at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

JOYCE—The funeral of Miss Helen T. Joyce will take pace Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her mother, 82 Eleventh street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SLATTERY—The funeral of Mrs. Alice V. (Mullin) Slattery will take place Thursday morning at 8.15 o'clock from her late home, 31 Stanley street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 9.15 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

COONEY—The funeral of Thomas F. Cooney will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 292 High street. A funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Smith will take place Tuesday, May 4, at 2 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial will be in the Edson cemetery.

CORDAIRO—The funeral of Manuel Cordairo will take place on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock from his late home, 47 Elm street. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 11 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

McWILLIAMS—The funeral of the late James McWilliams will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 7 Keene street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Miss Catherine J. Vaughan will take place from her home, 83 Willie street, Thursday morning. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church. The time will be announced later. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

CLANCY—The funeral of Peter M. Clancy will take place Thursday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 8 Mill street. Services at 2.30 at St. Peter's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERALS

KEDWARD—The funeral of Eliza Kedward was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 409 Westford street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. The body was sent to Frankford, Pa., where burial took place. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

ROBEY—The funeral of Elmer H. Robey was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orwell P. Robey, 401 Walker street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

CARLEY—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth Carley were held in the Congregational church, Tewksbury, on Sunday. The church was well filled with relatives and friends, the unusually large number of beautiful floral offerings told of the great love and esteem in the hearts of those gathered to pay their last tribute to the memory of Mrs. Carley, who will be so missed in her large family, of husband, sons, daughters and grandchildren left to mourn her loss. The bearers were her sons, Joseph, Fred, Albert and Howard. Burial was in the Centre cemetery. Dr S. A. Dixon officiated.

SLATTERY—The funeral of Michael Slattery took place this morning from the chapel of J. J. O'Donnell, 658 Gorham street, at 8.30 o'clock and was largely attended. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass was sung at 9 o'clock by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. There were many spiritual bouquets given by his many friends and relatives. The bearers were Thomas Mungavin, John McInerney, Daniel Linehan, Frank Mungavin, Lot Haley and John O'Neil. Interment took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan read the committal services at the grave. Undertaker J. J. O'Donnell in charge.

MEER—The funeral of the late Thomas Meer took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home in Tewksbury Centre and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Oblate novitiate where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Robert J. McCoy, O. M. I. The following delegation of the Holy Name society, of which deceased was an esteemed member, attended the funeral: Frank Williams, William Kelley, Daniel Scott, Peter Lacy, J. E. Streckwald, John Young and Mr. Clancy. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a pillow inscribed "Father," from the family, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Williams and family, D. J. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kelley, Mrs. Kelley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. McKillopp, Mr. Henry Morris, Mr. and Mrs. F. Nicholson, Miss Mary Young, Mrs. Fairgrieves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shedd, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbon, Miss Hannah Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. S. McHugh, Mr. and Mrs. Hoet, Mrs. Patrick Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Brennen, Mrs. Matthews, Miss Anna Clark, Mrs. James Farley, Mrs. James Manley and family, and Mrs. Robert Nutter, and a mound from the Tingley family, and offering from the Holy Name society. The bearers were David J. Williams, Anthony Kelley, Finlay Nicholson, John McKillop, Denis O'Connell and Patrick Nash. At the grave Rev. Bernard McKenna, O. M. I., read the committal prayers, and the burial was in the Tewksbury Centre cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ROACH—The funeral of the late Miss Alice M. Roach took place this morning at 8.45 o'clock from her home, 211 Methuen street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9.15 o'clock, a funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a pillow from the family, heart on base the Thynne family, and pieces from Mrs. E. F. Logue, Victor Provencher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallagher and J. Henry Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Gregoire, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heffernan of Lynn, Mrs. Sarah Hurley and family, F. A. Orcutt, Mr. Claus and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Meyer, employes of John C. Meyer & Co., James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. and Mrs. Frank Brady, Miss Josephine McCarthy, Mrs. Mollie Burns of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wholey of Revere, Miss Annie Duffy, Mrs. James J. McMannon, Miss Lottie Quirk, Mrs. L. J. Smith and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Magowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Connor, Mrs. Coughlin and Bessie, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Connor, Mary and Catherine Hallissy, Mrs. M. Guthrie Lunn, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang and family; baskets, Mrs. Alice E. Brady, Dr. Alfred Roach and Miss Menahan, William Crowley and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. David, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Connor, the Misses Mary Welch, Alice Quirk and Nettie Harinett, Miss Nellie O'Hearn, Mrs. Elizabeth Kerwin and daughter. The ushers at the house and church were John J. Flaherty and Joseph Hurley. At the grave which was trimmed with a beautiful floral lining, the offering of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barry, Rev. Francis Mullin read the committal prayers. The bearers were John A. Connor, Dr. Alfred Roach, Dr. Frank R. Brady, James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. Edward Murphy and Joseph Rourke. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MATRIMONIAL

Edouard Moreau and Miss Marie Louise Carle were married this morning, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 7 o'clock by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her brother, Fred Carle, and the bridegroom by his cousin, Frederick Moreau of Nashua, N. H. During the mass the Notre Dame de Lourdes sodality choir, of which the bride is a member, rendered appropriate hymns. The bride wore white merceline silk with a lace overdress and she carried pinks. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, 1 Lavallee place, where a dinner was served, followed by a brief reception. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous gifts, left this afternoon on a short wedding tour. Upon their return they will make their home at 57 Ford street.

FEMININE GARMENTS WELL PROVIDED WITH POCKETS

Verily is the present a season of pockets, for pockets are to be found with tailored suits, on simple gowns and also upon afternoon and evening toilettes, indeed they are used everywhere that they can be placed and are made of all materials from silk to lace. Here is a gown that shows pockets of an exceedingly interesting sort for they are practical as well as smart and the gown itself is made on such simple lines that it is especially adapted to summer needs. In the picture, the material is colored linen with white, but cotton crepe of the heavier sort makes up beautifully this way, pongee is much in vogue for gowns of this kind and there are various washable materials that may be substituted for the linen if preferred, while if liked, the skirt can be made of a heavier material and the blouse of a thinner, as for example, the skirt of linen and the blouse of lawn or batiste and the collar and cuffs could be of the heavier material to carry out the effect of the two materials. The skirt is in two pieces with a seam at the back and with lapped edges at the front and the edges of the blouse meet over an underfacing to allow of closing with links. Here, the neck is finished with a rolled-over collar, but if preferred, a high straight one suggestive of the military can be substituted. Among the very new materials is cotton crepe in brocaded effect.

TO FLUSH SMOOTH PAVING

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS IT DONE IN THE EARLY MORNING BY THE FIRE DEPT.

The board of trade has sent the following letter to Commissioner Carmichael, asking that he flush the smooth paved streets in the early morning:

Lowell, Mass., May 4, 1915.

Mr. James H. Carmichael, Commissioner Fire and Water Departments, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir—The Lowell board of trade desires to recommend that you instruct the fire department to flush the smooth paved streets throughout the city during the early morning hours. This would eliminate the inconvenience caused by the blowing of dust, and would give our streets a clean and healthful appearance.

This is a matter which is successfully carried out in other cities and the committee of the board is willing to cooperate with you in working out the details of the proposed plan.

Trusting you will give this matter your serious consideration, I am,

Respectfully yours,

John H. Murphy, Secretary.

IS NOT A CANDIDATE

JUSTICE HUGHES DISAPPROVES USE OF HIS NAME IN CONNECTION WITH PRESIDENCY

WASHINGTON, May 4.—In view to recent references to the name of Associate Justice Hughes of the supreme court as a candidate for the presidency, the following authoritative statement was made today in his behalf and with his approval:

"Justice Hughes wholly disapproves the use of his name in connection with the presidential campaign. Not only has he no desire to re-enter politics, but as a member of the supreme court he is not available. He is not a candidate in any sense and cannot permit his name to be used."

BILLERICA

The Billerica selectmen held a business meeting last evening. The three members were present and spent the evening in approving bills and taking care of other minor matters. Another meeting of the board will be held on Wednesday evening when some interesting business will probably be transacted.

The regular meeting of Asa John Patten circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., will be held Wednesday afternoon. Following the business session, luncheon will be served and from 7 to 8 o'clock a reception will be tendered to state officers of the organization. Sons of Veterans and representatives from other patriotic organizations will be present.

ON NEWS PRINT PAPER

INCREASED RATES APPROVED IN PART BY THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Increased rates on news print paper and on other papers from points in New England to New York city and adjacent points over the Boston & Maine, the New Haven and the Boston & Albany railroads were approved in part today by the inter-state commerce commission.

In its decision the commission declared that the proposed rates are the result of a compromise between the railroads and paper manufacturers, principally located in the vicinity of Holyoke, Mass. The increase from that section is from 16 per cent per hundred pounds to the third class rate at 20 cents per hundred pounds and that arrangement, the commission points out, is satisfactory to the manufacturers principally concerned.

DIED AT HIS DESK

NEW YORK, May 4.—Stephen T. Smith, general manager of the Underwood Typewriter Co., died today of heart failure as he was opening letters at his desk, associates asserted. He was 62 years old and had a national reputation as an expert on typewriter construction. Mr. Smith was a resident of Stamford, Conn.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

The monthly meeting of the pupils of St. Joseph's college in Merrimack street took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the affair was largely attended by parents and friends of the children, including the pastor of the parish, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., and Rev. Joseph Denis, O. M. I.

The program included the following numbers: "Baseball," chorus by the pupils of the sixth grade; reading of compositions of grades 7, 8 and 9; "Les Oiseaux Chanteurs," recitation, Emilien Leblanc; reading of compositions of grades 5 and 6; "C'est Past Comme Chez Nous," comical song by Louis Reault; reading of compositions of grades 3 and 4; "Le Jeu de Boches," pupils of the seventh grade; reading of compositions of grades 1 and 2; reading of the roll of honor; remarks by the pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the many kind acts shown us during our recent bereavement at the death of our dear wife and mother; also for the many beautiful floral offerings tendered. (Signed)

Mary and Catherine Reardon.
Patrick Reardon.

PAINFUL INJURY

Edouard Maille, employed by Desmarais & Bourret, plumbers, suffered a painful accident yesterday afternoon. The young man was riding on the rear end of the wagon of his employers, when upon reaching the corner of Ford and Aiken streets he lost his balance and fell to the ground, receiving bad lacerations to his left arm. He was treated by his family physician.

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Porters Friend, lb.	.15
Putz Cream ½ pint	.15
Barkeepers Friend, pkg.	.25
Falawnae, furniture, bot.	.25
Liquid Veneer, bot.	.25
Putz Pomade, lb.	.25

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COE BLAMES HIS WIFE

Unhappy at Home, Discouraged in Work, He Longed to be Free, He Says—Wife Denies Charge

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 4.—Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., who disappeared from his home in Allston, Mass., Jan. 30, has been positively identified and admits his identity. His health is perfect, and since his arrival in Fairbanks Feb. 22, after walking 400 miles from Cordova, he has worked himself into the good graces of the inhabitants.

Coe, who was identified by Alven Jones, a well-known and reliable Alaskan pioneer prospector, by means of circulars sent out by the Burns detective bureau of Boston, has made known his reasons for leaving his young wife.

He claims that he was tired of life in Boston.

He charges that his wife lived beyond her means.

Failure to succeed in business as rapidly as he had hoped, is another reason given.

His married life was an unhappy one, he asserts, and he longed for freedom from society.

Determined to strike out for himself and win on his own merits, he says, he drew $200 from a Boston bank, leaving his wife $400, and set out for Seattle, from which city he embarked for Cordova, from which place he walked to Fairbanks.

Coe is determined that he will never return and he wants his identity kept a secret, in Alaska at any rate. His relatives' social standing is unknown here.

Coe, long before his marriage, worked with a man named Ovando in Montana, and when he left Allston he went direct to Seattle, arriving there Feb. 4. Since March he has been employed as a machinist at the Samson Hardware Company at a salary of $150 a month.

He claims that he longed for a life in the open. When he left home he kissed his young wife as usual, he declares.

DENIAL BY MRS COE.

Declares She Has Received No Message from Husband—Combats Charge of Extravagance

BOSTON, May 4.—Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., the deserted wife of the former Standard Oil company salesman and scion of a prominent New York family, vehemently denied last night that she had received a telegram from her husband.

She also denied that they had lived beyond their means during their comparatively brief married life, and asserts that, on the contrary, if she would have permitted it, their mode of living would have been much more extravagant.

She disclaims any knowledge of his ever lavishing any presents upon her, and asserted, at the home of her parents, 158 Harvard street, Brookline, last night, that since her marriage to young Coe June 3 last, he had bought her only a blue serge dress, costing between $20 and $25, and one pair of shoes.

Never Got Message

According to Mrs. Coe, Jr., her husband never displayed evidences of being dissatisfied; on the other hand, she declared that he appeared to be supremely happy.

In regard to his statement that he had tired of Boston, she said that he had become reconciled to living in Boston, and had frequently mentioned the fact, although at first he had longed for life in New York city, to which he had been accustomed.

"I do not believe that Harry ever telegraphed me, as he is reported to have stated. Certainly if he did, I never received the wire; as a matter of fact, the first news that I had of his being located in Alaska, came from Supt. Burns, who on April 20 telephoned me that he had received a clue from Fairbanks, which held out great promise. But the location was not definitely given.

"You may say for me that if my husband had ever sent a telegram to me I undoubtedly would have received it, even though the message had been addressed to our once happy home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. I think the case has been famous enough to have enabled the telegraph company to have found out my whereabouts. I was living with my father and mother on April 15.

"Anyway, it seems to me that the statement credited to him is completely contradictory. No one in his right senses would declare that he wanted his identity kept a secret, and then immediately wire his wife, would he? It does not sound like him, for if there was ever a boy who worshipped his mother, it was Harry Coe.

Believes Mind Affected

"But I don't think he would ever have wired me. I really don't believe he would have gone to the expense of sending a telegraph message that would cost in the neighborhood of 42 cents a word. By that I don't mean to imply anything derogatory to Harry, but he wasn't extravagant and he was not stingy, but he was economical, and it is my impression that if he were to correspond with me he would have done so by mail.

"And still I can't believe that Mr. Coe ever said any of the things that are attributed to him. As deeply perplexed now as ever, I will never believe that his going away was other than an insane act until he tells me himself. I still love him and hope to join him when he has recovered his mental equilibrium, for I am sure that his mind has been affected.

Would Go to Alaska

"Would you have answered his telegram if you had received it?"

"Certainly. Such suggestions of trouble between us are positively outrageous. Of course, I would have answered his telegram. Her dark eyes flashing indignantly.

"But would you go to Alaska to join him if such was his desire?"

"Yes, tomorrow, if necessary, and I would bring our little baby, June, too, for I still continue to love him and do not, cannot believe, that he was in the full possession of his senses when he went away, nor do I believe the statements that are attributed to him, or that he can be his normal self now."

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LAWSON GUILTY

Labor Leader Convicted of Murder and Given Life Sentence

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 4.—The jury yesterday returned a verdict pronouncing John R. Lawson guilty of murder in the first degree, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment, for the killing of John Nimmo, a deputy sheriff, in a battle with strikers at Ludlow, Oct. 25, 1913.

Lawson is a member of the International executive board of the United Mine Workers of America.

Commenting on the verdict, Lawson said:

"They may get me, but they can't defeat the cause of labor. I'm not worrying about myself—it's the fight I have been making for the workingmen that I am interested in—and that will go ahead. Even for me, it's a long way to the penitentiary. My attorneys will not give up until everything possible has been done to save me."

Thirty days were given attorneys for the defense to file a motion for a new trial, and Lawson was released temporarily in custody of his counsel.

Horace N. Hawkins, chief counsel for the defense, said:

"I do not believe the verdict ever will be sustained. It is contrary to the evidence. I shall fight this case as long as there are courts in which to fight."

SUBPENA FOR MORGAN

ISSUED BY SUPREME COURT IN THE WASHINGTON WILL CASE —SUMMER RECESS

WASHINGTON, May 4—J. P. Morgan has been subpenaed by the supreme court to answer the state of Virginia's suit to recover the will of Martha Washington.

The Florida statute making stockholders liable to the extent of unpaid stock subscriptions for unpaid judgments against their corporations, without further suit or order, was annulled yesterday by the court as denial of "due process."

No arguments will be heard in the court after May 14 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 12.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH

The H. W. H. club met last evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Senior, 851 Rogers street, with 20 members present. After a brief business meeting a social time was enjoyed. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. May Allard and Mrs. Charles Clough, 69 Robbins street, for the June meeting.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

THE FLOWERS' BALL

Once upon a time little May went out in the garden to see the bed of tulips her father had told her were in bloom and, as she walked along looking at them, she thought she heard some one call, "May, May." She stooped down and looked into the heart of a red tulip and there was the tiniest little person she had ever seen all dressed in green.

"Please help me out," the little voice said, "I am stuck fast in some honey the bees left here." "I'll help you, you dear little thing," said May. "I will put my finger down and you take hold of it just as tight as you can and in that way I can pull you out."

Soon the tiny little green elf was out safe and sound on the ground and bowing to May with his pointed green cap in his hand. "Thank you very much. I don't know what I should have done if you hadn't come along, for the sides of the tulip were so smooth I couldn't climb out," he said. "I will ask the queen to send you an invitation to the ball we are going to give very soon if you would like to come for the queen will be very grateful to you for your help when I tell her about it."

"Oh, I would like to come so much," said May. "Please tell her I will for I love fairies and elves."

That night, after May had gone to bed, she saw a lovely little fairy fly in the window and in her hand was a big white lily which she laid on the bed just beside May's hand. "That is your invitation to the ball and you must bring it with you," she said. "Come with me and I will show you the way."

When they reached the garden there were the most beautiful flowers May had ever seen. A tall white lily was dancing with a hollyhock and a pansy was dancing with a big tiger lily, while all of the others were finding partners and dancing as happy as could be. They didn't pay any attention to May and the fairy led her at once to the queen of the flowers who thanked her very prettily for her help that morning.

May sat and looked at the flowers as they danced and thought she had never seen anything more beautiful. At last it was time to go and the fairy took her home and saw that she was tucked up in her little white bed before she flew away. In the morning May told her mother all about her going to the flowers' ball but her mother just kissed her and smiled.

LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1909, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 451, of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 44351 on The Central Savings Bank is lost; payment has been stopped and application has been made for payment of the amount.

M4-11-18

GENTS' SUITS

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Office of the Secretary, Boston, April 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given, that, on the seventh day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, Irwin L. Prentiss, of Lowell, was duly licensed and commissioned to be a public warehouseman within and for the city of Lowell; that he has given bond in the sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful discharge of the duties of a public warehouseman, and that he has taken and subscribed the oaths necessary to qualify him for the duties of said office.

ALBERT P. LANGTRY,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah E. Van Tassel, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Annie E. Judd, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of May, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
A20-27-M4

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Francis X. Tobin, of Barre, in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth aforesaid.

You are appointed administrator of the estate of Michael B. Tobin, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and return to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge;

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you;

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court;

To pay any balance remaining in your hands upon the settlement of your accounts, to such persons as said Court shall direct;

To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly approved and allowed;

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in five or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, this twenty-third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M4-11-18

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel P. Sperry, of Malden, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Bert Sperry, now of Binghamton, in the State of New York, at Oneonta, in said State of New York, on the twentieth day of February, A. D. 1911, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Bert Sperry lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at North Adams, in our County of Berkshire; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Bert Sperry, being wholly regardless of the same, at said North Adams and elsewhere has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment of your libellant. And being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Bert Sperry.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1915.

ETHEL P. SPERRY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 29, A. D. 1915.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO LET

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS and bath, to let for light housekeeping; in private dwelling; Highland district. 63 Royal st. Tel. 2404-W.

REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGE TO let at Revere Beach, at new casino roller skating rink, Ocean avenue. Apply on premises.

FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, 44 Mead st. Inquire 48 Mead st.

COMPLETE SODA FOUNTAIN AND backbar for sale. Also some supplies and electric carbonator. In good order and cheap. Address M 43, Sun Office.

SIX-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; bath and modern conveniences; splendid location; Ware st. Inquire 110 Middlesex st.

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STORE TO LET AT 202 MIDDLESEX st., thoroughly equipped for dye house; former tenant in possession 20 years. Inquire of Walter H. Howe.

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SIX-ROOM FLAT, TO LET, BATH room, pantry, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, at the corner of Broadway and Shaner st., $13.50 per month. Inquire at 85 Willie st., opposite Franklin st., or at music store, 110 Merrimack st.

TENEMENT TO LET, 7 ROOMS pantry and bath on Concord st., near Fort Hill park. Keys at 303 Concord street.

ONE 6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, $10; one 4-roo mtenement $8; at 62 Chestnut st. Apply at Flynn's Market, 131 Gorham st.

$16, $19, NEW SIX-ROOM FLATS, without or with steam heat; all modern improvements; quiet neighborhood; one minute from two car lines; 15-25 Orford st., Pawtucketville. Keys at 17 Orford st. Tel. 4358-W.

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6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, NEWly painted and papered at 40 Barclay st.; rent $9. Also 5-room tenement, pantry and bath, $12 month. Apply Schutz Furniture Co., 316-320 Middlesex st.

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THE OFFICES OCCUPIED FOR many years by Dr. Carolin, to let, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank building. Inquire at bank.

A LARGE OFFICE, 34 BY 14 FEET on the second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st., good light and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented or leased at a very reasonable rent. Apply to D. J. Harrington, Building Manager, 901 Sun building.

11-ROOM HOUSE TO LET

All conveniences and latest improvements. 18 East Merrimack st., near Merrimack square. Inquire Royal Theatre. Tel. 4509 or 1895-W.

LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK FOUND IN CENTRALVILLE, on April 24, 1915, containing a small sum of money. Owner can have the same by calling at 155 Lakeview ave., proving property and paying for the adv.

A DEMOUNTABLE RIM AND TIRE found. Inquire Bon Marche, delivery department.

SUM OF MONEY LOST BETWEEN Moore st. and post office. Reward to finder. Return to H 83, Sun Office.

PAIR OF GOLD STRUNG PEARL rosary beads with name Mary E. Cassidy marked on cross, lost Saturday evening, between Walnut st. and St. Peter's church. Return to 6, rear 24 Walnut st. Reward.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY LOST IN the vicinity of the post-office or Central st. Finder write Box Q 61, Sun Office.

FIG FOUND. OWNER MAY HAVE same by proving property and paying charges. Call at Herman Grantz, Centre st., East Chelmsford.

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SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG lady; long and wide experience as stenographic secretary in law office; speaks French; good correspondent. Address M 42, Sun Office.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK WANTED by experienced woman; good references; fine laundress; city or country. Apply 5 Ware st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR investment in property near the Sacred Heart church seldom offered. 6 tenement house, corner location, splendid condition, large lot of land, seldom vacant, rents for $558 a year. Price only $3650. Abel R. Campbell, 403 Sun building.

SIX-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE FOR sale, near Westford and Smith sts.; excellent repair; slate roof, nice yard; buy this cottage; save car fare; price $1300. D. F. Leary, 238 Central st.

NEAR ST. PETER'S CHURCH, 8-room cottage, bath, steam heat, cement cellar, excellent repair. $2200. D. F. Leary, 238 Central st.

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LAWLESS NOONEN'S HAIR STAIN, brown, black, 25c, 50c. Dows', Lowell Pharmacy, Noonan's, Storey's Stevens'.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND repaired. Tuning, $1. J. Kershaw, 60 Humphrey st. Tel. 974-M.

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PIANO FOR SALE; PARTY LEAVING town; excellent condition, practically new. Inquire 760 Broadway.

12-HORSE POWER MOTOR BOAT with Gray engine, for sale. Inquire at Mr. West's boathouse, Pawtucket st.

ONE THOUSAND BEAN POLES FOR sale; can be delivered. Call 472 Chelmsford st. Henry Cox.

PACKING BOXES FOR SALE; ALL sizes; delivered; also fresh sod; price right. Walter Shepard, 65 Plain st.

SPECIAL SALE—JEWELRY STORE fixtures, first class, used one year, including wall cases, show cases, big safe, cheap for immediate sale. Inquire at Boot Black Parlor, 616 Merrimack st.

FRENCH POODLE PUPPIES, ALL white; prize winners. Call or write, Mrs. Hemmerling, 152 Newbury st., Lawrence, Mass. Cars pass door.

GARDEN LOAM FOR SALE. Inquire 73 Inland st., or tel. 2329.

MODEL 5 BUICK—7 HEAD LOW compression motor; fine running order; 5 passenger body, suitable for jitney bus, or chassis suitable for a truck; price $350 cash, or $400 easy payments. Arthur H. Greene, Park Garage, 828 Middlesex st.

30-ROOM LODGING HOUSE AND boarding house for sale; 19-21 Hurd st.; well furnished and steam heated; rent reasonable for number of rooms and location. Apply at A. E. O'Heir's, 15 Hurd st.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.43	8.50	6.35	8.38	6.35	7.35	z6.39	8.06
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6.47	7.36	7.11	8.24	9.32	10.55	10.50	11.53
b8.40	9.53	x7.55	8.35	10.17	12.07	11.55	12.55
8.57	9.06	z8.21	9.29	12.02	1.13	3.30	4.40
1.21	2.03	9.00	9.39	z1.27	2.40	5.14	6.12
x2.28	3.48	9.30	10.05	3.40	4.41	6.03	7.05
7.56	8.37	11.30	12.09	6.15	6.41	7.00	8.15
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12.15	1.05	a4.14	5.34				
1.45	2.23	5.00	5.38				
2.20	3.21	b5.21	6.32				
3.48	4.38	5.33	6.34				
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.14				
6.31	6.38	6.14	7.23				
b6.17	7.32	8.00	8.38				
6.22	7.03	8.50	9.05				
8.05	8.46	10.30	11.08				
9.40	10.33	11.40	12.36				

Sunday Trains

Southern Division Lve.	Arr.	Portland Division Lve.	Arr.
6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.00	9.30	10.08
8.23	9.26	11.50	12.02
9.26	9.53	1.00	1.59
10.20	11.11	6.30	6.24
2.42	3.25	8.00	8.38
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.27	7.10	9.20	10.25
8.05	8.50	10.30	11.25
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b Via Bedford. a Via Salem Jct. z Via Wilmington Jct. n not run on Holidays.

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1 All box numbers commencing with the figure one, as 12, 13, etc., up to 131 are located within a radius of about one-half mile from the North common, extending from Dutton street north to Pawtucket street and from School street east to Merrimack mills.

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3 All box numbers commencing with three, are located in the lower Highlands, extending from the depot to Wilder street and from Hale street along the line of Western avenue and Pawtucket canal to Pawtucket street.

4 All box numbers commencing with four, are located in the Ayer's City and Bleachery districts, extending from Edson cemetery northerly to Hale street and from Chelmsford street easterly to Concord river.

5 All numbers commencing with five, are located in the upper Highlands and Middlesex Village.

6 All numbers commencing with six, are located in Centralville.

7 All numbers commencing with seven, are located in Pawtucketville.

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TOP OF TOURING CAR WANTED. Tel. 888.

CHILDREN WANTED FOR SUMMER; take baby $3 per week. Call 4th house Huron st., Kenwood, Mrs. Williams.

30 Teams Wanted

at New Remington plant, Boston and Seaview avenues, Bridgeport, Conn.; steady work for good teams and wagons, paying sixty-six and two-thirds cents per hour; local stable; accommodations good; telephone our expense. 5447 Bridgeport. James Stewart & Co., Inc., Contractors.

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HE DROPPED DEAD

Councillor W. H. Woods Fatally Stricken at Home in Brighton

BOSTON, May 4.—City Councillor William H. Woods of 19 Union street, Brighton, died suddenly of acute indigestion at his home at 10 o'clock last night.

Death followed his return home from a session of the city council. By a strange coincidence at the meeting he had accused Councillor Coulthurst of attending the sessions when in a condition physically unfit for service.

Councillor Woods has been a resident of Union street, Brighton, for the past 18 years. He was born in Boston 53 years ago.

Many years ago Mr. Woods entered into active politics in Boston. He was a member of the old city council in 1895, and of the house of representatives in 1904. In 1907 he was elected to the old board of aldermen.

Mr. Woods was born in South Boston, and during the larger part of his life lived in that section and in the South Cove district.

MEANS OF EXPANSION

THOUGHTS GROW BY USE OF WORDS—LANGUAGE EXPANDS AND DEVELOPS MIND

The use of language is not limited to the mere communication of ideas. An equally important function is that of the instrumentality of thought. It is not merely its vehicle, but its means of expansion.—Hardly any of our intellectual operations could be carried on without the agency of words. Language is, then, not only the offspring of thought—but its spouse as well. In every process of reasoning words are an essential element. By their means we fashion and embody our ideas.

It is therefore of the highest importance that everyone should acquire the power and habit of expressing himself clearly and correctly. The influence of language on human affairs is beyond computation. It has made history and shaped the destinies of nations. Its place in the lives of individuals is equally as important. Those who possess word-wisdom, or the power of speech, are better equipped for the struggles of life than those whose vocabulary is limited. Fluent, forceful and correct speech has a money value just as surely as mechanical or professional skill.

In this age of a complex civilization the ability to convey ideas with precision is no small equipment. But greater than this is the augmented potentiality of thought. New words enlarge the mental horizon. To speak clearly is to think clearly. The intellect in stretching its boundaries of thought must increase its power of expression by an enlarged vocabulary. A dictionary is therefore a necessity more than ever before. It should be at one's elbow, whether at home, in the office, school, shop or study. For these reasons we have taken great pleasure in placing a good dictionary, such as The New Universities Dictionary within the reach of everyone of our readers. Our coupon, published daily, gives the terms.

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CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business Saturday, May 1.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained at Liggett's pharmacy or from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

FIRE PREVENTION

State Wide Fire Signal Suggested, Four-Four, Used in Schools, Urged

BOSTON, May 4.—Two fours rung on a corridor gong signals fire to the mind of every child in the metropolitan district.

A movement was launched yesterday at the office of Metropolitan Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe to make this fire signal, 4—4, a state-wide fire alarm in every factory, department store, office building and other big blocks where there is an interior fire alarm system in operation.

Yesterday afternoon the special committee of school headmasters, for which Commissioner O'Keefe asked some time ago to study with him the problem of introducing fire prevention into the schools, met with the commissioner in conference at his office.

The result of the conference was the decision to undertake to make 4—4 the fire signal which every man, woman and child in the state will sub-consciously and automatically recognize as the signal that there is a fire in some part of the building, and act accordingly. This decision Commissioner O'Keefe regards as one of the most important steps in the recent development of fire prevention.

The committee which has been working with the fire prevention commissioner is composed of George W. Evans, headmaster of the Charlestown High school, chairman; Frank E. Hobart, headmaster of the Chapman district; Charles E. Haines, headmaster of the Lewis district; Herbert L. Morse, headmaster of the George Putnam district, and Joseph B. Egan, headmaster of the Harvard district.

They argue that since the schools long ago adopted 4—4 as the fire signal and this has become firmly fixed in the minds of the children, the same signal should prevail in every building where there is an alarm system, so that the children as they grow up and go into factories, stores and office buildings will hear the same signal that in their school days sent them to their feet to go through the orderly and expeditious routine of the well-planned fire drill.

TALK ON LUTHER BURBANK

LECTURE AT COLONIAL HALL ON THE GREATEST GRAFTER OF THE AGE

In conjunction with the clean-up and painting campaign, which was inaugurated in this city a short time ago, an illustrated lecture will be given at Colonial hall Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The affair will be under the auspices of the Lowell board of trade and the civic committee of the Middlesex Women's club. The lecturer will be Frederick Boegle of the Luther Burbank farms in California, whose subject will be "Luther Burbank; the Man and His Methods."

AUTO TRUCK BURNED

MACHINE OF WALTER ANDREW'S DESTROYED ON LONG POND ROAD YESTERDAY

A one-ton International Harvester truck, owned by Walter Andrews, caught fire on the road to Long pond yesterday afternoon and was totally destroyed despite the efforts of neighbors, who rushed to the blazing machine with buckets of water. The cause of the fire was a back fire in the engine.

FLAG DAY COMMITTEE

SUM OF $150 PLEDGED FOR PURCHASE OF FLAGS—LIVING FLAG DEMONSTRATION

The sum of $150 was pledged by the flag day committee at a meeting held last night, for the purchase of 10,000 flags to be sold by school children and others. It is planned to make the Saturday preceding the observance a sort of "tag" day, when flags will be offered for sale in the streets. The flags will have a white border on three sides which will bear the words, "Memorial Day—Flag Day, Lowell, 1915." It was also voted to have a committee of women visit the public schools for the purpose of selecting children for the living flag demonstration to be given on the South common.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 456 Merrimack street.

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NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 8, AT 3 O'CLOCK

ABSOLUTE SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF A SIX TENEMENT BLOCK WITH STORE, A FOUR TENEMENT BLOCK AND ABOUT 10,800 SQ. FT. OF LAND AT 29 WILLIE STREET, 114, 120, 130 CROSS STREET. BEING PART OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE PATRICK J. RILEY, TO BE SOLD IN ONE PARCEL.

The block, located at the corner of Cross and Willie streets, is three stories, slated French roof, consisting of six tenements and store, toilets on each floor, lighted throughout by gas, occupied by good tenants, in good repair and brings a yearly rental of about $726.

The block at 130 Cross street is three story, slated French roof, consisting of four tenements of six rooms each, toilets, gas throughout, occupied by first class tenants and has a yearly rental of about $528.

The lot which is a corner one, has a large frontage on Cross and Willie streets, with a large space between the two blocks. It has an area of about 10,800 square feet.

NOW THEN, MR. SPECULATOR here is a grand proposition which brings in a yearly rental of about $1250, every part being rented to excellent tenants and it is one of the best locations in the city for renting small tenements, it being located so near to many large industries and the fact that it is a corner lot with a large open space between the two blocks, thus giving good light and air to all tenements, is a great advantage and if you are looking for a safe and sound investment, one that will give good returns on money invested here is your opportunity.

Terms of sale: $900 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

For further particulars inquire of the auctioneer who has full charge.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer.

MAHARAJA, INDIAN PRINCE, SHOWING HIS NEW WIFE AND SON THE WONDERS OF AMERICA

MAHARAJAH, HIS LATEST WIFE, and HIS SON

NEW YORK, May 4.—H. H. Farzan Dilbund Raskhul-Iti-kad Daulat-i-Ingilshia, Rajah-i-Rajagan, Ratja Jagatgit Singh Bahadur, maharaja of Kapurthala, grand commander of the Star of India, who visited this country in 1893, is with us again. His highness, who has an income of $3,000,000 a year, 500 servants in the Punjab province, India, where he is permitted to reign in a mild sort of way, and four wives, arrived on the French steamship Patria of the Fabre line. However, he has brought only his last and most beloved wife with him, the maharani of Kapurthala, who was a dancer named Anita Dolgado, half Spanish and half French, now twenty-five years old and handsome. The prince married her in Madrid last year. The potentate, very affable, an Oxford man, with a perfect command of English, boarded the Patria at Gibraltar, the ship being held up for four hours for his highness and his suit of eight. There are with the maharaja and the maharani, who is known officially as her highness Princess Prem Kaur of Kapurthala, the Prince Karimjit Singh of Kapurthala, who is eighteen years old and still in charge of a French governess; secretaries, maids and manservants, and so much baggage, including golf sticks, that the customs agents could not go through it until darkness set in. Most of his diamonds and the maharani's diamonds (she has about $8,000,000 worth) have been left in a safety vault in the Punjab. "There have been many changes here, but one expects big changes," said the ruler. "I wanted my son to see this country. I have come here to renew my acquaintance with America, to travel through it for awhile after a month in Europe. I shall visit Buffalo and Chicago, which I want to see again, and Canada. I may go to the exposition in California and then come back to New York to sail for Europe. I left Bombay in the latter part of March, and I have seen a little news about insurrection and mutiny in India, but the reports are very much exaggerated. There is a little disaffection on the part of a few. As a whole the population of India is very loyal to Great Britain. I have not been at the front, but I have a son fighting for Great Britain in France."

MAYO HEARING MAY 14

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS BROUGHT BY SCRANTON WOMAN AGAINST NEW HAVEN MANUFACTURER

SCRANTON, Pa., May 4.—May 14th was fixed by the court yesterday for hearing the divorce suit of Mrs. Florence Weeks Mayo of this city against Virginius J. Mayo, the New Haven manufacturer, who came into public notice several months ago after the death of his stenographer, Lillian Cook.

The libellant alleges she was married to Mayo at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1891, and that she was his second wife. She claims he deserted her.

CARBUNCLE COSTS LIFE

WORCESTER, May 4.—Walter P. Kramer, 22, a member of the senior class of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and a son of Walter S. Kramer of 20 Sheffield road, Winchester, died this evening at the Memorial hospital of septic poisoning, due to a carbuncle on his neck.

The young man became delirious Saturday and was taken late in the afternoon to the hospital. His condition became rapidly worse and he died at 8.30 o'clock last night.

DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

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DESTROYER LAUNCHED

TUCKER IS ONE OF THE LARGEST VESSELS OF ITS KIND IN THE WORLD

QUINCY, May 4.—The torpedoboat destroyer Tucker, launched at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation today is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

It measures 351 feet over all with a beam of 29 feet ten inches and depth 17 feet and seven inches. The displacement is 1090 tons and the vessel is equipped with a 1700 horsepower engine.

The Tucker is named for Commodore Samuel Tucker, who served in the war of the revolution and of 1812. When John Adams was appointed minister to France he sailed from Quincy in the frigate Boston, of which Commodore Tucker was in command.

Mrs. William Garty of Brookline, a lineal descendant of the commodore, was chosen as sponsor.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

Man in the Moon, Everyday Etiquette and Other Feature Articles for Sun Readers Tomorrow

In a sparkling contribution which will be printed in The Sun tomorrow, "The Man in the Moon" comments on a variety of local affairs. Among other things, he writes of the exhibition of Orson Lowell's drawings at the Whistler house. He also talks of the bowling situation. The article will prove of interest to all readers.

Questions of etiquette regarding dinner parties, cards, invitations, etc., will be answered in a helpful way in "Everyday Etiquette."

"The French Maid" will tell how to clean the gas stove. The morning toilette will be the topic of discussion in "In Milady's Boudoir." The "Sleepytime Tale" for the children will be "The Princess of the Tower."

ORDER OF BUFFALOES

Plans are completed for the second annual concert and ball of Lowell herd, No. 10, Benevolent Order of Buffaloes to be held in Associate hall Thursday evening.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The executive board of the Young Women's Christian association has chosen Miss Helen Hyndman of Schenectady, N. Y. for the position of general secretary of the local association, to succeed Miss Harriett L. Boutelle. The new secretary will report in September.

Miss Hyndman will be graduated from the Y. W. C. A. National training school in New York city in June and she comes highly recommended. She is a graduate of Smith college in the class of 1905 and afterward served as a volunteer worker for the Schenectady association and later as its president.

GOVERNOR IN ACCIDENT

AUTO SKIDS AT LAWRENCE ALMOST IN WAY OF TRAIN—STOPPED JUST IN TIME

LAWRENCE, May 4—Gov. Walsh's life was in danger for a few moments last night. An automobile on which he had come from Boston with J. Augustus Donovan, chairman of the Lawrence democratic city committee, skidded on wet pavements at the South Lawrence crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad.

A northbound train was speeding on the tracks toward which the machine slewed. The chauffeur's efforts to arrest the car by the brakes were unsuccessful and the train was almost upon the crossing, when the governor's automobile was stopped by the crossing gates.

It was some minutes before Gov. Walsh regained his composure and he was forced to rest before addressing the Young Men's Christian association. Later he spoke to the Knights of Columbus.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Women Should Take Warning

If the statement made at a New York assembly of women, that healthy American women are so rare that they are almost extinct, is true, it is time for the women of America to take warning and look to their health. It may be headaches, backaches, dragging down pains, nervousness, mental depression that are telltale symptoms of some organic derangement for which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—a simple remedy made from roots and herbs—is a specific and may be relied upon to restore women to a healthy normal condition.

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CARMEN'S UNION

Executive Board Points Out the Car Sprinkler Man's Mistake

The executive board of the local Carmen's union has come across with a statement to prove that if Supt. Perry of the American Sprinkler company had given the union what it asked, the American Car Sprinkler company would have been money in pocket.

"Mr. Perry," said the executive spokesman, "was willing to put motormen on front of both sprinklers at $17.64 each, per week; one motorman on the arm (acting as foreman), at $20 a week; one man on arm at $14 a week, and two uniformed conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week, each. The $15.12 represents the pay paid conductors the first year, and as one of the rules of the union is to observe seniority, it could not agree to two first year men on rear end.

"Our proposition was for motormen on the front ends, at $17.64 a week, as agreed to by Mr. Perry, and conductors on the rear end at $17.64 each. We did not have anything to say about the arm men, and Mr. Perry could have continued them at $14 a week.

"If you will go over these figures you will see that our proposition was a better one for Mr. Perry's company than was his own proposition. The term of his contract is 31 weeks and now we will see how much it would have cost the company to have carried out Mr. Perry's suggestion. The pay of two motormen at $17.64 a week, each, for 31 weeks would equal $1,093.68. One man at the arm at $20 a week for 31 weeks, would have earned $620, and one man at $14 a week, $434. Two conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week each would have earned $937.44, and if you add all these sums together you will find that the sum total is $3,085.12, and that's what it would have cost the company under Mr. Perry's suggestion.

"Now we will see what it would have cost the company if our requests had been complied with. We wanted four men at $17.64 each, two motormen and two conductors. For 31 weeks this would total $2,156.36. Two arm men at $14 a week for 31 weeks would figure $868, making a grand total of $3,024.36, or a saving for the company of $60.76 as compared with what Mr. Perry said he was willing to do."

BOMB EXPLODED

Bronxborough Hall Badly Damaged—Two Men Hurled 20 Feet

NEW YORK, May 4.—A powerful dynamite bomb exploded in the Bronx borough hall last night, badly damaging that building only a short time before a meeting of tax payers was to have been held there. Only five persons were in the building. Although two of them were thrown 20 feet, neither was injured. The first floor of the building occupied chiefly by the bureau of highways was wrecked and the structure was so badly damaged that it was closed.

Two foreigners were arrested near the scene shortly after the explosion and taken to police headquarters for examination.

Borough President Douglas Mathewson's personal attendant and a consulting engineer were in the president's office when the explosion occurred directly under it and they were hurled the length of the room.

The authorities expressed the opinion that the perpetrators of last night's crime are the same ones who last November exploded a bomb near the Bronx courthouse just as Judge L. D. Gibbs of Bronx county was leaving the building. No one was injured, but much damage was done to the court house and surrounding property. Judge Gibbs at that time declared he believed the motive to be revenge sought by friends of white slavers, who had been sentenced by his court.

TRIAL OF $3000,000 SUIT

ACTION BEGUN IN THE DAMAGES CASE AGAINST B. & M. IN WHICH FIRE IS BLAMED TO A SPARK

BOSTON, May 4.—In the Middlesex superior civil court yesterday, before Judge Stevens and a jury, the trial of the $300,000 suit for damages against the Boston & Maine railroad, brought by the Converse Rubber company of Malden, was begun. The Rubber company alleges that a spark from one of the defendant's locomotives set fire to the company's storehouse Feb. 2, 1911, causing considerable damage.

L. H. S. BATTALION NIGHT

Three Companies Will Go Through the Maneuvers on Next Friday Evening—Full Military Regalia

The first "Battalion Night" under the auspices of the Lowell high school regiment will be held at the school armory on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. Owing to the inadequacy of the drill headquarters for the holding of regimental maneuvers, Companies A, G and I have been selected to go through maneuvers. The privates will be in full military regalia.

LIFE SAVING CLASSES

Forty-one members of the local Y. M. C. A. have registered in the new life saving classes which hold sessions as follows:

Seniors, Monday evenings at 9 o'clock; students, Friday afternoons; juniors, Saturday mornings, and employed boys, Saturday afternoons. The course of work given in these classes prepares the men enrolled for the international life saving examinations which will be held here on May 20, 21 and 22.

WOMEN'S MEETING POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, which was scheduled to be held at Marion during the week of June 7, has been postponed to June 24 and 25.

TROLLEY STRIKE

Wood Says, 'Settlement Soon in Sight,' at Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, May 4.—Conferences between the Trolleymen's union, the state board of arbitration and officials of the Springfield Street Railway company, held all day yesterday up to midnight, resulted in no settlement of the trouble between the company and employes.

Three proposals for peace offered by the union have been rejected and a fourth will be considered at a conference of company officials this morning at 10 o'clock. One proposal made by the company has been rejected by the trolleymen.

Pending further conferences the public investigation called for today has been postponed until tomorrow.

In a statement given out by Charles G. Wood of the state board early this morning he said:

"Every conference and each proposal brings the men nearer rockbottom. A settlement soon is in sight."

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JUMPED FOR HER LIFE

MISS KATHERINE COLBURN OF DEDHAM JUMPED FROM BACK OF RUNAWAY HORSE

DEDHAM, May 4.—How Miss Katherine Colburn, a young woman of this town, was carried four miles over the Blue Hills on the back of a badly frightened runaway horse Sunday, finally jumping off and receiving serious injuries, became known yesterday.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Henry B. Endicott, whose husband is Henry B. Endicott, the millionaire shoe manufacturer. She is widely known for her love of horses and as a driver and rider. Recently she purchased a Kentucky racer and planned to enter the thoroughbred in the Brookline Country club races on June 17.

Sunday she took the animal out for the first time. It behaved well from the time of leaving Miss Colburn's home on East street until the bridle path in the Blue Hills was reached. When well into the path the animal became frightened and bolted off the path and up the hill.

Miss Colburn exerted all her power to master the animal, to no avail. The horse continued at breakneck speed up the long slope of Blue Hill, Miss Colburn every moment expecting to be thrown off.

The top of the ridge reached, the animal continued down the opposite side, Miss Colburn's predicament here being increased by fear the horse would stumble.

When more than half way down the hill, Miss Colburn thought it best to throw herself off the animal's back. She landed heavily on a spot free from stumps and stones, but received a severe injury to her left knee.

The horse continued its run until halted by a mounted Metropolitan park policeman near the stable at the foot of the hill. After taking the horse into the stable, the officer searched for the owner and found Miss Colburn walking, her clothing torn and blood flowing from a serious cut in her knee.

He carried her to the emergency room of the Metropolitan police station nearby and a physician was called, who found it necessary to take 15 stitches in the cut. Numerous bruises were sustained about the arms and body.

At her home last night Miss Colburn was comfortable, but she will not be able to be about for some days to come.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives who by words of sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten our burden of sorrow in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary E. Tighe. We assure all that their kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. Philip Tighe and family.

JITNEYS FORCE TAX REDUCTION

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The federal trustees of the Rhode Island company last night petitioned the common council, asking the city to reduce the company's franchise tax from 5 to 1 per cent, because of the serious inroads that the motor buses have made upon the receipts of the company, which is a subsidiary of the New Haven railroad, said yesterday that about $100,000 in nickels which would ordinarily go to his company have been diverted to the motor buses during March and April. In the opinion of the railway officials the situation is serious

A WOMAN'S CHARM

Beautiful hair, fluffy, lustrous, abundant and free from dandruff, is one of woman's greatest charms—it's her main delight—yet many who would be most attractive but for their streaked, thin and lifeless hair, think there is no remedy and that pretty hair is a gift of nature. Beautiful hair is always a matter of care and proper nourishment of the hair roots.

If your hair has been neglected, is thin, faded, dry or too oily, Parisian Sage, a delicately perfumed liquid, well rubbed into the scalp and brushed through the hair will work wonders—you will be surprised and delighted with the first application—not only will your hair appear twice as abundant—soft, fluffy and radiant with life—but really doubly beautiful.

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LETTERS FROM BARNES TO LATE SENITOR PLATT

Barnes Complainec That Clerk of Assembly Was Abut to Deprive Him of a Piece of 'atronage

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—Letters in which William Barnes discussed politics and an appointment with the late Senator Platt and complained that the clerk of the assembly in 1904 was about to deprive him of a "legitimate" piece of patronage in the form of printing because he supported Levi P. Morton for governor were today produced in the supreme court here by Edward T. Platt, the senator's son, on the trial of Mr. Barnes' libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt.

In practically all the letters Mr. Barnes referred to printing in Albany and he denounced Lemuel Quigg, who was backing a competitor of the Journal company to secure printing contracts.

In a reply to one of the letters, Senator Platt wrote in regard to the apparent disagreement between Mr. Quigg and Mr. Barnes:

"The matter is of so much consequence that I had a personal interview with Mr. Quigg. * * * I hope the matter can be adjusted without appeal to the courts."

Mr. Barnes also wrote that the convention in 1904 "beat us on the question of the printing business and that the democrats were largely against us, but enough republicans voted against us to have enabled us to have won if they had been right."

Col. Roosevelt Called

Theodore Roosevelt again went on the witness stand in the supreme court today to testify as a witnes in his own behalf in William Barnes' suit for damages for alleged libel. He smiled when his name was called and walked briskly to the witness stand.

COURTROOM CROWDED

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—The prospect of seeing both Theodore Roosevelt and William Barnes upon the witness stand in the trial of the latter's $50,000 libel suit against Colonel Roosevelt drew to the courthouse today a crowd fully as large as that which gathered when the former president first went on the stand.

Although counsel for the defense intimated that they would not question the colonel at any great length, W. M. Ivins, chief counsel for Mr. Barnes was said to be ready to put the colonel through an extended cross examination. Before court opened there was much speculation as to whether Justice William S. Andrews would permit Mr. Barnes as a witness for the defense to be questioned further than was necessary to properly identify the stock, minute and other books of the Albany Journal company which have been in his custody. Mr. Barnes was instructed to produce the books yesterday after the secretary-treasurer of the corporation had testified that they were in his possession.

Edward T. Platt, son of the late United States senator, Thomas C. Platt, was re today to produce 12 or 14 letters lected from a large number brought here in answer to a subpoena served on him on behalf of Colonel Roosevelt. After the Roosevelt attorneys sent over the great mass of correspondence they decided, however, that all cept the number stated were valueless to their case.

Frank D. Roosevelt Testifies

Frank D. Roosevelt, former state senator and now assistant secretary of the navy arrived here today in answer to summons from the Roosevelt counsel. Mr. Roosevelt was to testify regarding a deadlock in the senate which ultimately resulted in selecting Jas. A. O'Gorman to represent the state of New York in the United States senate. Mr. Roosevelt, a democrat, was the leader of an insurgent movement in the state senate at that time.

William Lyon of the J. B. Lyon company of Albany was recalled after a conference between counsel and Justice Andrews. He said he had the stubs of checks from 1910 to 1914 but had been unable to find any stubs of earlier date.

This minute book was the same as that referred to yesterday by Charles M. Winchester of the Lyon company.

Mr. Winchester was recalled after Mr. Lyon was excused. He produced the cost book of the Lyon company which was asked for yesterday.

Mr. Winchester was asked to tell the court of a particular job of printing done in 1909. He said it would be a tremendous undertaking to compute the cost with the 1909 cost books. He was told to get them and return to the court this afternoon.

Secretary Foster Recalled

F. C. Foster, secretary of the state printing board was testified yesterday, was recalled today. The examination by counsel for Mr. Roosevelt was to show that in 1909 the legislative printing contract was awarded to Oliver A. Quayle of Albany as the lowest bidder; that the witness knew Quayle had no printing plant although the contract signed by the attorney general, comptroller and secretary of state declared that Quayle had the best facilities and that later the contract was transferred to Charles M. Winchester and the J. B. Lyon company. The contract was for work amounting to 200,000.

Justice Andrews today signed an order upon the state treasurer to produce forthwith all canceled checks and vouchers and other evidences of payment to the Albany Journal Co. as payment for printing or publishing the session laws as a "state paper" and as a "county paper."

An order upon the secretary of state

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BRITISH ADVANCE ON GALLIPOLI PENINSULA

Allied Troops 33 Miles From Smyrna—Battle Near Ypres—Another British Ship Lost—Germans Attempt to Keep Italy Out of the War—How Austrians Defeated Russians

The Russians lost 21,500 prisoners to the Germans and Austrians in the recent heavy fighting in Galicia, according to an official statement given out at Berlin today. This is the engagement in which the Germans and Austrians claim a notable victory. In addition to the men captured the Teutonic allies took 16 pieces of artillery, 47 machine guns and a large quantity of war material.

British Troops Advance.

British troops are now advancing into the interior of Gallipoli peninsula according to an official statement issued in London this evening.

Allies Near Smyrna

Invasion of Turkish territory on the mainland in Asia is reported officially to have been begun by the allied forces. An Athens despatch says that troops were landed at a point 35 miles from Smyrna. It is also said the bombardment of Smyrna has been resumed and that the shelling of the Turkish forts at the Dardanelles continues.

German Attack Near Ypres

The official French report of today states that another attack on the British positions near Ypres, Belgium, was made yesterday by the Germans. The attack, it is said, was driven back. The French war office also announces that ground was gained as the result of an assault on German positions in the Argonne near Bagatelle.

Cost of the War

The cost of a year or more of war to Great Britain was estimated by David Lloyd George in presenting the budget to the house of commons at $5,682,170,000.

Another British Steamer Sunk

The new submarine campaign of the Germans is being prosecuted with undiminished activity. The British steamer Minterne with a cargo of coal for the River Platt was attacked off Scilly Islands with the loss of two lives.

Investigate Sinking of U. S. Ship

The American embassy at London has arranged for an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Guldfight for the purpose of making a report to Washington.

Try to Keep Italy Neutral

Italy has postponed again her deci-

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CEMETERY COMMISSION NAMED BY THE MAYOR

City Council Holds Lively Meeting—Charlie Morse and Frank Mallorey in Firey Tilt

At the regular meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon, the mayor read his appointments to the new cemetery commission as follows: John L. Robertson, 5 years; John A. Osgood, 4 years; Simon B. Harris, 3 years; William H. Rigby, 2 years, and George H. Taylor, 1 year. It is understood that all of the appointees own lots in the Edson cemetery.

The five men appointed by the mayor are lot owners in the Edson cemetery. John L. Robertson is president of the Robertson Furniture Co., John A. Osgood is a well known druggist and a former member of the board of board of health. Simon B. Harris is president of the Lowell Fish and Game association and is known far and wide as a fearless enforcer of the law. George H. Taylor is secretary of the C. I. Hood Co., and William H. Rigby is assistant superintendent of the Merrimack print works.

The proposals for cement for sewers and streets raised some ructions and were debated for two hours or more. The cement proposals included those of D. T. Sullivan and E. A. Wilson. The Wilson contract was thrown out and the Sullivan contract, calling for 5500 barrels, more or less, of Portland Lehigh cement, was adopted. The Wilson contract called for 500 barrels.

The real pepperino of the meeting came just prior to adjournment when Commissioner Morse and Frank Mallorey had a verbal clash that gave promise of something more serious. The situation was assuming rather dangerous proportions when the mayor's call for order spread the charm of peace.

The Meeting

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.20 with all members present. The first business had to do with garage and gasoline licenses which were referred to Commissioner Carmichael and the chief of the fire department.

Petitions by the Lowell Electric

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WOMAN WAS CHOKING

CONSTABLE FLYNN SAVED HER FROM BEING STRANGLED WITH HEAD CAUGHT IN A WINDOW

Constable Flynn a few days ago saved a woman from strangulation on Common street.

According to the story, Mr. Flynn was going along Common street Saturday afternoon and when he reached a building near the Morrill school, he heard screams coming from the second story of the building, and looking up he saw a woman's head hanging over the windowsill with the window down tight upon her neck.

Mr. Flynn lost no time and rushed upstairs, but to his consternation the door was locked. He rushed to the street again and a few seconds later returned to the door with a grocery clerk who happened to be in the vicinity. The two men put their shoulders to the door and soon broke it in. They rushed to the window and found that the woman was held a prisoner by the window, which worked with a spring and which had dropped over her neck. They released her but not before she was almost strangled. After being thanked for their work, the two men departed without getting the woman's name.

SHIPLOAD OF COPPER

LONDON, May 4.—Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen telegraphs that an attempt to smuggle a shipload of copper into Germany from Denmark has been discovered by the police. The despatch says the attempt was made by two Danish skippers, brothers named Christensen, who were sentenced to three years each in the house of correction and the cancellation of their skippers' certificates.

BASEBALL SCORES

The batteries for today's games and the scores at the time of going to press were as follows:

American: Washington at Boston: Johnson and Ainsmith; Foster and Thomas. At end of third inning, Washington 0, Boston 1.

Nationals: St. Louis at Pittsburgh: Ferdue and Snyder; Harmon and Schang. At the end of first inning, St. Louis 0, Pittsburgh 1.

Federal—Kansas City-Buffalo game postponed; cold.

American — Cleveland-Chicago game postponed; cold.

National: Cincinnati-Chicago game postponed, wet grounds.

National: New York-Philadelphia game postponed, rain.

American: Philadelphia - New York game postponed, rain.

National: Brooklyn - Boston game postponed, rain.

ON JAPAN'S DEMANDS

LONDON, May 4.—The United States and Great Britain have entered into no formal negotiations on the subject of Japan's demands on China. Announcement to this effect was made in the house of commons today by the British foreign minister, Sir Edward Grey.

The foreign minister added that the only communication of the sort between the American and British governments had been a brief and informal conversation in February between Ambassador Page and a representative of Great Britain.

REPORT 30,000 CAPTURED

VIENNA, May 4 (via London)—Thirty thousand Russian soldiers, 32 cannon and 64 machine guns were captured in the battle of the West Galicia, according to an official statement given out in Vienna this afternoon.

TO VISIT PANAMA FAIR

THREE LOWELL BOYS WILL DRIVE A PUSH-CART ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Max Cohen, E. M. Cohen, and Max Greenberg, three young men of this city, have decided to attend the great Panama exposition in San Francisco and they are going a very novel way about it. They have a push cart with bicycle tires which they aver they will push to and through the golden gate.

They went to Boston yesterday and obtained a letter of introduction from Gov. Walsh to the governor of California and today they got a letter from Mayor Murphy to the mayor of San Francisco. They expect to leave Lowell May 16.

CITY HALL NOTES

The board of health met this forenoon and granted four swill licenses and one stable license.

Commissioner Morse sent out all of the horse-drawn watering carts this morning to take the place of the car sprinklers. Mr. Morse allows that the street sprinkling contract broken by the Car Sprinkler company will never take effect in Lowell again.

SHORT SHIP CIRCUIT

BOSTON, May 4.—Notice of the failure to fill the early closing stakes of the Hillsgrove, Woonsocket and Taunton meetings was received by Secretary Austin of the Bay State Short Ship trotting circuit today. The officials of the Taunton and Woonsocket meetings assured Mr. Austin that their tracks would go through with the races.

LETTER FROM FROST'S SISTER

A letter addressed to the matron of the Chelmsford Street hospital was received at that institution today. The letter is from Mrs. I. E. Pillsbury, 48 R. R. square, Lebanon, N. H. The writer makes inquiry concerning Eugene I. Frost, the Lynn man who was taken to the hospital a few days ago for observation as to his sanity. Mrs. Pillsbury is his sister and she wants all the facts concerning her brother's detention and his condition.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the automobile truck of Walter Andrews totally destroyed by fire near Long Pond, Dracut, yesterday.

LOWELL AND WORCESTER IN SECOND HOME GAME

Despite the fact that a cold wind swept across Spalding park this afternoon and chilled the number of faithful fans who occupied seats in the bleachers and a part of the new grandstand, the day was much better for baseball than yesterday and there was some hope in the rays of sunshine that shone upon the diamond.

Jesse Burkett's Worcester club was the attraction again this afternoon, and as each team has captured one of the two games played this season, both nines went onto the diamond confident of winning and promising to fight to the finish. Manager Burkett seemed satisfied with the revenge he got yesterday by defeating the Lowell team in the 13-inning encounter which was full of real baseball; and did not seem so gloomy as he did after Saturday's game. Burkett said that all he wanted was to conclude his engagements with Lowell with two wins to his credit and he would then be satisfied.

Manager Barrows Cheered

Manager Roland Barrows of the home team was also after third game and coached his men along as they limbered up in the preliminary practice. Barrows' popularity with the fans was again shown today and each time he made a difficult catch or placed the ball beyond the reach of the outfielders during practice he was given round after round of applause. Other players on the Lowell team have also won a place in the hearts of the fans and all were cheered continuously.

A few minutes prior to the calling of play Jesse Burkett strolled out to left field and gave his young left fielder, Keegan, some individual instructions. Keegan is just beginning his professional baseball career and is being closely watched by Burkett, who hopes to develop the youngster into a star outfielder.

"Kittie" Brandfield was present in the capacity of umpire and called the first man to plate promptly at 3 o'clock.

The lineup was as follows:

LOWELL	WORCESTER
Swayne, rf	lf, Keegan
McMahon, 3b	2b, Cooney
Barrows, cf	3b, Gardella
Stimpson, lf	cf, Potteiger
Meyers, 1b	1b, Cabrera
McCleskey, 2b	c, Carroll
Dee, ss	ss, Young
Greenhalge, c	rf, Donahue
Green, p	p, Johnston

"Paddy" Green, the giant twirler of the local pitching staff, was sent out on the firing line by Manager Barrows while Johnston, the pitcher who held Lowell hitless during the last two innings of yesterday's game, went onto the mound for Worcester.

First Inning

Green's first offering was smashed to left centre by Keegan. Barrows grabbed the ball on the bound with one hand and shot it to Dee at second and Keegan was caught a yard from the bag. The blow looked like a sure double, but snappy fielding by Manager Barrows and his quick and accurate throw to Dee choked it off at second. Gardella's hard fly dropped safe in short left field. Green, in attempting to catch Gardella asleep at first, threw to the bleachers and the Worcester third baseman went around to third. Green then walked Potteiger. The latter then took a long lead off first and drew Green's throw to Meyers. Gardella shot for home after Meyers had thrown to Dee. Gardella crossed the plate and Potteiger reached second base in safety. It was a well executed double steal. Cabrera smashed a single through McMahon for an easy hit, but Potteiger was held at third. Carroll was a victim on strikes. One run, three hits, one error.

(See Baseball Extra)

FOR WHITE WAY DAY

Board of Trade Officials Will Meet Street Railway Officials to Arrange for Transporting Visitors

The members of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade and Division Superintendent Farrington of the Bay State Street Railway Co. will confer tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the board of trade rooms in Central street as to the best way of transporting the thousands of visitors who are expected in this city on May 26.

It is the plans of the board of trade to have free cars leave the various suburban towns and surrounding cities on the morning of the celebration in order to give our neighbors an opportunity to come to Lowell on that day and patronize our merchants and thereby profit by the bargains that will be offered them. At tomorrow afternoon's conference all the smallest details will be looked after and the number of electric cars to be used will be fixed.

OWLS NOTICE!

Meeting of the Lowell Nest of Owls at Elks Hall, Wednesday Evening, May 5, 1915, at 7.45 P. M. All members are requested to attend.

JOHN E. MACCALLUM, Pres.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Carrie Gertrude Cummings will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, 3 East Pine street. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

DEATHS

CUMMINGS—Carrie Gertrude Cummings, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, died at the home of her parents, 3 East Pine street, aged 27 days. Besides her parents, she is survived by three brothers, Chester E., George W. and Everett Cummings.

FOR U. S. CORNETIST

LOWELL MUSICIAN WINS PLACE UNDER UNCLE SAM THROUGH C. S. EXAMINATION

The many friends of Alex Godbout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Majorique Godbout of 29 Hanover street, will be pleased to learn he has secured a position as cornetist with the United States brass band at the Old Soldiers' home at Togus, Me.

Mr. Godbout is a noted musician having studied with E. N. Lafricain of Boston for the past three years. He is a popular member of Tabor's Sixth regiment band, M. V. M., and has had considerable experience with other brass bands and orchestras of this city. At the present time he is employed as a shoe salesman for the 20th Century Shoe Co. in Merrimack street and will sever his connection with this company this evening, to start on his new duties next Monday.

The young man recently took an examination as cornetist and successfully passed. He received his appointment a few days ago and as soon as he reaches Togus, Me., he will enlist for a term of two or three years in the service of Uncle Sam. The position is a lucrative one with a chance for promotion. The conductor of the band is B. W. Thieme.

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ITALY ON BRINK OF WAR

King and Ministers Cannot Leave Capital to Attend Unveiling of Garibaldi Monument

ROME, May 4—In view of the international situation the king and his ministers cannot leave the capital to be present at the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument at Quarto Sant'Elena, was the text of a note issued after the meeting of the cabinet yesterday. Its publication produced a profound effect upon public opinion.

Abandonment of the plan for the participation of King Victor Emmanuel and high government officials in the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling is believed to have been the result of the call made by Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador upon Foreign Minister Sonnino Sunday night. The details of this conference are supposed to have been presented at the meeting of the cabinet, the call for which was not issued until yesterday morning. The ministers assembled nine hours later and the council lasted four hours.

Immediately after the council closed Baron Sonnino, who had called upon the king before the session opened, went to the consulate, where the first secretary of the German embassy awaited him. After receiving a verbal communication from the baron, the secretary hastened to the villa Malta, the private residence of Prince Von Buelow, while Foreign Minister Sonnino called upon the king for a second time.

The censors have forbidden the transmission of all comment upon yesterday's events. Correspondents are permitted to say, however, that Prince Von Buelow made new proposals Sunday night to Baron Sonnino, which were submitted to the cabinet ministers, who will hold another council today.

The press is unanimous in declaring the abandonment of the king's trip to Quarto has in no way altered the government's decisions. A semi-official note couched in vague general terms says:

"Italy's attitude cannot undergo any change from the king's not going to Quarto."

It is recalled that when committees arranging for the dedication of the monument called upon his majesty to invite him to be present at the ceremonies he answered: "I shall go if reasons of state do not prevent me."

An official of the foreign office is reported to have stated that the government's decision was due entirely to the situation in Tripoli, where "Italy might be forced to extreme measures to protect our colony where German agents are fomenting rebellion."

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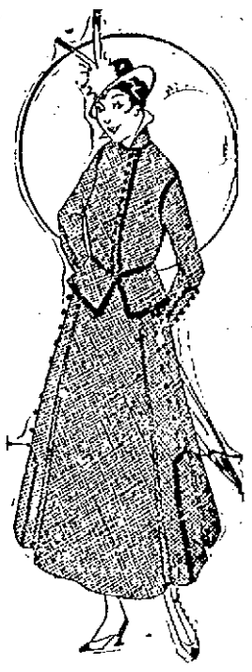

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A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The accounts of dances held quarter of a century ago are interesting for many reasons, not the least being that they give the younger generation an idea as to who was who on the waxed floor before the days of the tango, and often one reads a familiar name, among the dancers of days gone by, the owner of which today has unmistakeable kinks in his walk, as though he had never pivotted on the polished surface until a hole in the floor began to appear and then went home to hum the "Blue Danube" in his sleep. Of course I mean nothing personal in publishing in connection with the foregoing the old Sun's report of the annual ball of the Burke Temperance society of quarter of a century ago.

The old Sun said:

"The sixth anniversary ball given by the Burke Temperance society in Huntington hall, last evening, was one of the most successful in the history of the society. The hall was uncomfortably thronged, 1500 being a low estimate of the number present. Prior to the ball which was complimentary to the members, 92 new members were received into the society. The American orchestra furnished music for a dance order of 24 numbers and gave a concert program from 8 till 9. Over 300 couples took part in the march and there would have been more had there been room. It was led by Floor Director James J. Redmond and Miss Lottie Donahue followed by James F. Miskella and sister. There were many invited guests, among them being His Honor, Mayor Palmer, James O'Sullivan, of St. Patrick's Temperance society; M. J. Lynch, of the Mathews, J. B. O'Connor, of St. Peter's; R. J. Walsh, of the Crescents; William H. Stafford, of Court Merrimack, F. of A., M. F. Conley, of Court General Shields; J. H. Sheehan, of Court Middlesex; E. F. Slattery, of Court City of Lowell and Thomas Daly, of the Neptunes. Among the guests from out of town were: Miss Wagstaff, Miss Creighton and Miss Dacey, of Lawrence; Messrs. Henry Flanagan, Thomas E. Barry, F. J. Morris, John A. McGrath; James O'Connor, William Morris, Timothy Callaghan, Stephen Flanagan, William Dempsey, Luke Larter, and John A. O'Brien, of the Young Men's Temperance society of Lawrence; Messrs. Wm. Quigley, Jas. W. Ward, Henry McKeon and T. J. Lyons, of St. John's Temperance society, North Chelmsford; J. W. Conway, Timothy Mahoney and William Powers, of North Billerica; John Keane, of the Fr. Mathews of Lawrence; and a large delegation from Lynn. Supper was served by Page & Nunn. The following were the officers: Floor director, James J. Redmond, assistant, Richard J. Lynn; aids, T. F. Clark, J. Liston; J. Breen, J. Lucey, J. J. O'Connor, J. F. McManus, J. F. McGarrahan, J. Daily; general manager, James F. Miskella; assistant, John F. McLoughlin; reception committee, F. J. O'Hare, Thomas Cox, James A. Mahar, J. H. Gormley, J. McGuinness, E. W. Kelly, W. Dwyer, W. H. Stafford, F. J. Dowd, J. Winn, J. Murphy, J. McVey, J. E. Sexton and J. McCaffrey, secretary."

What Mrs. Miller Advocated

I am not an expert on women's wearing apparel but I will venture a wager that Mrs. Jenness Miller, who lectured here quarter of a century ago on dress reform didn't make many converts in this city. Mrs. Miller's lecture was reported in the old Sun as follows: "Mrs. Jenness Miller lectured in the Opera House last evening on the subject of dress reform. She prefaced her discourse with remarks on the necessity of physical development among women. The object of dress, she said, is to cover the body with harmony and without ligatures or bands. She condemned the use of corsets as injurious. The Jenness Miller system of dress (according to the old Sun), consists first of an undergarment made of various materials, fitting the form perfectly. Over this garment, women who need support wear a boned waist. The next garment is one coming down to, or a little below the knee, fitting closely at the waist. Over this is worn a divided skirt which is so full that one casually looking at it would not realize that it is so different from the ordinary one. The advantage of this skirt is that it reduces the resistance in walking, is lighter and enables the wearer to have more freedom of movement than at present."

As far as I can remember the Miller make-up didn't become popular in Lowell.

A Monster Attachment

One of the largest attachments ever placed in Lowell was that of $1,000,000 against the Lowell machine shop 25 years ago. The suit was brought by the heirs of John F. Fosdick, for an infringement on a patent loom invented by Mr. Fosdick. The company admitted having used the patent but took it up 12 years after the original patent had expired.

More Silver Jubilees

There's a silver jubilee at the Vesper club due next Saturday to several well known men of this city, for The Sun of quarter of a century ago had the following:

"A regular meeting of the Vesper Boat club was held Thursday evening, (May 8) when the following new members were admitted: Edward F. Staples, Julian Clark Hood, William D. Rundlett, Walter C. Wright, H. Fordyce Coburn, Fred W. Coburn, John H. Fuller, Harry L. Standley, Arthur D. Pickering; non-residents, Harry G. Bixby, Nashua; and George A. Clay, Waltham.

Joined National Organization

It's just 25 years since the local letter carriers joined the national organization, having themselves at that time but recently organized.

The old Sun said:

"The local letter carriers have joined the national association and have elected the following officers: E. A. Howe, president; John L. Marren, vice-president; Frederick Taylor, secretary; John J. Donnelly, treasurer; T. J. McNabb, D. Crowley, J. Sullivan, Thomas Duffy and C. Holden, board of government. This branch will be known as association 25. Meetings will be held monthly. A national convention will be held in Boston in August."

Dan Cosgrove Assaulted

Don't become alarmed. This happened quarter of a century ago and the victim entirely recovered. The old Sun had the following disquieting item, 25 years ago:

"Daniel Cosgrove was assaulted by roughs in Appleton street last evening. Two of them were subsequently arrested."

They must have been rough-necks, indeed, to assault a man of peace like Daniel. Those were the days before Daniel entered politics. Since that time he has been in many a lively political assault, generally coming through with flying colors.

Different From The Old Days

In yesterday's papers we read of the superintendent of police and others following the boulevards in the new police auto Sunday on the trail of speeding joy-riders. How different from quarter of a century ago when the old Sun had the following:

"Already some Lowell youths have been hauled up by the Lawrence police for fast driving in that city. They went there for a drink, imbibed too freely and paid heavy fines in the police court next day."

Twenty-five years ago everybody didn't wear a Ford runabout on his watch chain, and the young man who had the inclination and the price to go joy-riding considered himself lucky to be able to hire a horse and buggy, and the favorite drive in those days was down the Lawrence road to the down-river city. The test of a horse long ago was the speed with which it could negotiate the distance between here and Lawrence, and I believe it was Ed. Conant, the famous auctioneer, then a lover of and authority on horses, who originated the statement that a horse that couldn't make Lawrence inside of an hour was no good. As Lowell was a no-license city quarter of a century ago, the fact that the young men in question took the long ride, for a drink, is not surprising. The ride to Lawrence was considered a sufficient stunt for a horse in those days, while now the distance is covered in a twinkling, comparatively, by auto.

Moody School Flag

Says the old Sun:

"The American flag presented by the descendants of Paul Moody to the Moody school, which was named in his honor, was hoisted over the building on Wednesday."

There are probably hundreds of graduates of the Moody school, as well as hundreds who frequent Moody street who have never given a second thought as to the identity of Paul Moody, after whom these were named. Of course, Lowell is named after Francis Cabot Lowell, who introduced the manufacture of cotton in this country and city, but at the outset Mr. Lowell found that he couldn't put his great scheme into operation without the aid of a mechanical genius and that genius was Paul Moody. Mr. Moody was born in Amesbury in 1777, and became well known as a manufacturer in that town, in connection with Ezra Worthen, who also has a school and a street named after him. Mr. Lowell secured the services of Mr. Moody and they started in business in Waltham. Then Messrs. Lowell and Moody got together and invented the double-speeder for spinning, while Mr. Moody's peculiar invention was the filling-threstle, and began spinning and weaving under the same roof. It was Mr. Moody who discovered the possibilities of the Pawtucket canal, with his friend Worthen and through their efforts the company was formed that took control of the water power of the Merrimack river. In 1822 the Merrimack Manufacturing company was started here with an original capital of $600,000 and its first business was to erect the dam at Pawtucket falls, and to widen and deepen the Pawtucket canal. Five hundred men were employed on the work. Mr. Moody removed here from Waltham in 1823 and took charge of the company's machine shop which was completed at a cost of $150,000, and he was in charge eight years when he died, July 5, 1831. Born and bred a mechanic he was also a gentleman and a scholar.

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ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPAN TO URGE RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION TO MAKE NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS

TOKIO, May 4.—Minister of Justice Ozaki is quoted by the newspapers as having announced that the cabinet had decided to send an ultimatum to China urging her to reconsider the decision to make no further concessions to Japan.

It is explained in official circles that Japan has no desire to resort to force, but that China "must be made to realize this country is determined upon the acceptance of its program for solidifying the peace of the Orient."

The press considers the ultimatum a proper step. The Times believes that if China refuses to yield Japan should occupy provinces like Shantung, "until China comes to her senses." This, the paper says, would not constitute a violation of China's integrity, "since its sole aim would be to ensure the integrity of the country."

The belief is professed in some circles that China may send word at the last minute that additional concessions are possible and in this way avert the ultimatum.

CHINO-JAPANESE NEGOTIATIONS

LONDON, May 4.—The question as to how Japan can reconcile some of her demands upon China with her professed intention of upholding the independence of that country is asked by the Manchester Guardian in reviewing editorially the Chino-Japanese negotiations.

"China does agree," says the Guardian, "to the request that she shall not cede to a third power any harbors, bays or islands along her coasts—an undertaking against which nothing can be said except that it apparently leaves Japan free to demand from China just what China is forbidden to grant a third party. If Japan would enter into a self-denying ordinance then, indeed, China and those who wish her well would have solid ground for satisfaction. But now we remain puzzled to know how Japan can reconcile some of her demands, those for instance which China has rejected with her professed intention of upholding the independence of China."

TO WED STENOGRAPHER

John H. Butler, 73, of Somerville, to Marry Miss Alice W. Eccls, 58, of Boston

BOSTON, May 4.—Associate Justice John Haskell Butler of the Somerville police court, 77 years old and a widower, yesterday applied at the city clerk's office in Somerville for a license to marry Miss Alice Williams Eccls, 58 years old, living at the Hotel Bellevue, Boston. She is a stenographer.

Mr. Butler is a lawyer in Somerville and Boston and has been associate justice for the past 26 years. His home is at 10 Pearl street, East Somerville.

He entered Yale university when 18 years of age. He was a classmate of William C. Whitney, secretary of the navy under President Cleveland. After graduating he served three years in the navy. He was admitted to the Middlesex bar in 1865.

He was for 12 years a member of the Somerville school board and was one year in the Massachusetts house of representatives. From 1884 to 1886 he served in the governor's council. He is a prominent officer in the Royal Arcanum.

Miss Eccls is a native of Hanover.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE LADY'S WORKBAG

If you wish to shrink goods before making a garment, fold the goods through the center, laying the selvedges together and crease through the centre. Put the goods into a tub of water, and then throw it, dripping wet, without wringing over a long straight line, having the fold come on the line, and pin frequently.

The cloth will not need ironing, as the weight of the water makes it smooth and straight. The selvedges are also kept nice and straight, thus making it easier to cut out the garment than if the cloth had to be ironed.

Sometimes a perfectly good dress will shrink in the washing, and in letting out the hem the edges will be found much worn. A good idea is to cut off the hem and put in a row of insertion or wash braid, then add the hem and face it up as far as the insertion.

The cross-stitch, with all the romantic touches that time has given it, is with us again as never before. It comes in revivals of old, and in original forms, but no matter how it appears, it possesses an endearing charm.

Who does not remember the cross-stitch bookmark? Pedantic to a fault, it epitomized some sentiment of puritanical colonial days. "Read and mark it well," is an old bookmark motto that at least shows a leaning toward levity rather startling for such a punless clan as the dear old Pilgrim fathers, yet it originated with them, and is revived today in "Frenchy" colors pink or blue, or vice versa.

Then there are backs of after-dinner coffee trays done in cross-stitch. These are on linen of course, covered with glass and and enframed with an oval or an oblong of mahogany. Brass handles on the sides or ends give the only additional useful ornamental touch.

A boudoir cap can be made of a man's handkerchief and val lace. Stitch the val insertion in some fanciful design on the handkerchief, or trim it by merely sewing the lace from side to side, forming a cross; now cut out the material underneath the lace and rounthe corners.

Gather the crown into an inch wide headband of lawn. Ruffle an edge of narrow lace to the top of the band and another the lower edge and then add two small bunches of ribbon rosebuds at each side of the cap. A white hat castle run through the headband will make the cap adjustable to any head size.

Handy night pockets to hold a handkerchief, watch, eyeglass drops, or whatever one wishes handy, are made from an eleven-inch strip of linen, folded up three-fifths of the length. The upper edge is turned over and stitched to form a casing through which a piece of feather bone is slipped. This holds the pocket taut, so that it will not fall together when anything is placed in it. A length of ribbon is fastened at each end of the upper edge.

Now is the time when the "forehanded" woman is getting some of her sewing done. Before making up the colored wash materials she shrinks them and "set the colors. Green and lavender materials will retain their coloring unhurt by laundry work, if they are soaked first fifteen minutes about two gallons of cold water which a cupful of strong vinegar has been added.

Salted water or water to which turpentine has been added will set pinks and blues. Colored silk stockings may be successfully washed by following the same rules.

If you rub a bit of dry soap across the new spool of silk you will not be bothered by having the silk unwind too quickly when threaded into the machine.

Do the needleworkers realize what pretty articles may be fashioned of odds and ends of material? Never throw anything away, but keep it in your scrap box ready for use when required. A very pretty bow for a gift was made of a piece of satin ribbon ten or eleven inches long; sew the ends and run them to form points, fold the ribbon so that one end hangs over the other, and gather across about an inch below the fold, drawing up and fastening.

Take a bit of coronation-braid and form into five loops of three rolls, each which gives a square petal, like a wild rose, set firmly in the center, and cover with a circle of small beads, surrounding a larger one or a small, fancy button.

Attach one of these ornaments to each tab a little above the point, and see if you are not pleased with the result obtained from a few "scraps" and a little time spent in working on them.

A napkin case would be a help in keeping the linen drawer in perfect order. Whether the case is elaborately embroidered or merely marked with a single cross-stitched initial the method of making the case is the same.

Two strips of linen, a little wider than a folded napkin, are crossed in the center, after first being pointed at both ends and bound or buttonhold. The three sides of the crossed pieces are securely stitched, the one side being left open so that a piece of cardboard can be slipped in place. This will hold the bottom of the case firm. Place the napkins on the base, fold the two ends over and fasten, then fold the other sides over the top and secure with snap fasteners.

For a quickly made case a heavy quality of cream linen, bound with blue tape, secured with snap fasteners, with the owner's initials in blue cross-stitch, would be most attractive. A case for the table cloth may be bound in the same way, excepting that it should be oblong in shape. This offers a suggestion for an attractive way to give a bridal gift of table linen.

NO-LICENSE CAMPAIGN

Worcester Ministerial League Favors Action—Resolution to Be Taken at Federation Session

WORESTER, May 4.—Worcester Ministerial league adopted the following resolution yesterday:

"Resolved, That it is the unanimous sentiment of the Worcester Ministers league that a no-license campaign be undertaken in our city this year, and that the campaign be undertaken by the Worcester Interchurch Federation in cooperation with other no-license and temperance organizations in the city."

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Passes Boston & Maine Measure — House Passes the "Clean Milk" Bill

BOSTON, May 4.—The state senate yesterday, by a vote of 29 to 8, passed to be engrossed the bill for the reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad. This stage is the final one in the senate, unless the very unusual step of trying to defeat the bill on its enactment is taken. The bill will now go to the house.

The senate passed the bill practically as it was reported from the committee on railroads. Various amendments were offered, but the only ones adopted were those offered by Senator Hobbs, the chairman of that committee, and a minor one proposed by Senator McLane. The senate plainly showed that it was disposed to abide by the judgment of members who have spent so much time in the consideration of the act.

Senator Hobbs, beginning the debate on the bill, made a comprehensive and lucid statement of the reasons for the legislation and the objects which the bill was designed to accomplish. The fundamental and essential things were, he said, to enable the Boston & Maine to escape from its present difficulties by a consolidation with the companies which it now leases, and to authorize the Boston & Maine to fund its floating debt; the road probably could not fund its debt at present because its financial condition was so unfavorable that people would not invest in its securities.

The bill, he said, gave the road a chance to sell its paper, or, if that result could not be had, to call on its stockholders for the funds needed to get rid of this debt.

Relief for the Trustees

The first of the Hobbs amendments provides in brief that the trustees shall not be compelled to go to the public service commission for its approval of every use they may propose to make of the money received from the sale of stock, but that if the public service commission subsequently finds that any money was used for purposes not properly capitalizable, the amount so expended shall be charged against the premiums heretofore realized from the sale of stock.

Another of Senator Hobbs' amendments strikes out the clause which would give the public service commission, after it has validated the proposed issues of new capital, authority to say in effect that the rates of the company need not be put high enough to earn dividends on such stock.

Limiting Directors

The senate adopted an amendment, proposed by Senator McLane, which provides that a director of the Boston & Maine may not be a director of any other railroad in the commonwealth, and also that the Boston & Maine may not purchase materials or supplies from any director of that road, or from the director of any other rail-road in the state.

Spotters' Bill Unconstitutional

The supreme court sent down in reply to questions submitted by the senate an opinion that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. This bill is known as the "Railroad spotters" bill; it provides that if any person gives information which may lead to the disciplining or discharge of the employe of a railroad, such employe must not be disciplined or discharged until he has had opportunity to make a statement in the presence of the person giving the information.

The opinion, a majority one, answers three questions asked by the senate. The majority say: First, that the legislature may not enact legislation limiting the right of railroad corporations to discharge their employes for cause; second, that the legislature may not give railroad employes as a class privileges not enjoyed by the rest of the community; third, that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. The opinion is signed by Justices Rugg, Braley, DeCourcy, Pierce and Carroll.

Justices Loring and Crosby transmitted a dissenting opinion. They say that they subscribe to the answer to the second question; that they prefer not to express an opinion upon a matter which it is not necessary to consider in order to answer fully the questions asked and therefore they express no opinion on the second question, although they do not intend to throw doubt on the answer; that they subscribe to the answer to the third question.

The senate ordered that the opinion be printed, and further consideration of the bill was postponed.

Registration of Physicians

When the bill for the registration of physicians came up, the senate, by a vote of 18 to 6, substituted a bill which contained a section authorizing herb doctors to practice; this provision is identical with a bill which the house has rejected.

The rest of the bill which the senate engrossed yesterday does not differ materially from the one reported by the committee on public health; it provides that no one can take the examination to be registered as a physician unless he has obtained the degree of M. D. from a school authorized to confer that degree.

The bill repealing the act which forbids the carrying of red flags in public processions was, without debate or division, passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring judges of superior, district and municipal courts to visit at least once a year the penal institutions to which they may sentence prisoners was rejected without debate.

Highway Bill Called a Grab

Senator Hays made a long and spirited argument against the bill authorizing the expenditure of $2,000,000 on highways in the five western counties of the state. He characterized the bill as a "grab"—a word which some of the senators at first took to be "graft"—and said it would cost Boston ultimately about $1,000,000 and the other large cities in proportion.

Protests Against Bill

Two circulars of protest against the Boston & Maine railroad reorganization bill have been sent to each member of the Massachusetts legislature by C. W. Crooker, attorney for William B. Lawrence, trustee for a large block of Boston & Maine stock.

House of Representatives

The original bill to prohibit the sale or delivery of milk produced under unsanitary conditions was passed to be engrossed, 149 to 68, by the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday, after a lengthy debate. In fact the bill was rejected on a standing vote by 64 to 76, but the action was reversed on a rollcall.

There was three-quarters of an hour delay in securing a quorum because many members were attending the private view of "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. Pfeiffer of Bedford moved to substitute for the so called "clean milk" bill one calling for state health board supervision, as originally provided, but allowing the farmer to resume business upon a certificate from the department of animal industry. Mr. Chapman of Ludlow opposed both bills and criticised the methods which he charged were employed to secure support.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly was surprised, he said, that the farmers should "cry baby." Their constant plea, he said had been for an opportunity for improvement before prosecution, and yet when a bill giving just that is presented, they oppose it. He said the Pfeiffer bill only put into the hands of the department of animal industry what was purely a health matter.

Coburn of Dracut

An amendment to the first bill was offered by Mr. Coburn of Dracut, providing 24 hours' notice before prosecution which was adopted on a voice vote. The Pfeiffer bill was rejected on a standing vote, 63 to 59 and a rollcall refused. The original "Clean Milk" bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Ruling on Teachers' Bill

Atty. Gen. Henry C. Attwill yesterday sent to the Massachusetts house of representatives his opinion on the bill providing that applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools shall not be asked as to their religious belief. He holds that the bill is unconstitutional at present, but that the amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney would provide authority to enact the bill, without violating the constitution.

The Lomasney amendment strikes out the above provision and substitutes one that such appointments shall not be affected by political or religious opinions or affiliations.

LICENSE TO FERNCROFT

DESPITE REVELATIONS MADE BY TOODLES RYAN, PRIVILEGE IS GRANTED TO SELL LIQUOR

BOSTON, May 4.—Despite the "revelations" made by "Toodles" Ryan in her breach of promise suit against Harry K. Mansfield, proprietor of the Ferncroft Inn, the selectmen of Middleton voted to renew the license of that resort for another year and it is now doing business at the same stand.

Three licenses were issued to the inn. First class for $1500, fourth class for $100 and a club license for $500.

The affairs of the Ferncroft Inn were brought into the "Toodles" case when the woman alleged that Mansfield had cleaned up $325,000 in the past three years.

GETS FULL BACK PAY

BOSTON, May 4.—Police Captain Robert R. Perry, the Somerville veteran captain who was retired against his will last June on half pay and was recently reinstated by order of the court, went to the office of the city treasurer of Somerville yesterday and was given $1285.47, which represents full pay from June, 1914, to April 3 of this year. He had kept all his checks for half pay which were sent to him while he was retired, and these he returned when receiving the full pay checks.

THE SICKABED LADY

Fresh air being the best of all medicines, nurse says, you should learn how to take it. There is only one proper way, and that is by deep breathing. And deep breathing means breathing that way all of the time, not merely once or twice a day when you happen to think of it.

The ideal deep breath is the kind you get once in a while when you yawn, and should give you much the same sense of pleasure that such a breath does. No one can sleep in a hot, poorly ventilated room and be in condition to resist cold contagion. You are safer in a room with the mercury at thirty than in one with the mercury at eighty.

In a bedroom with but one window, raise the window, raise the dow, raise the window, slightly at the bottom and lower it correspondingly at the top. If there are more than one window, raise one and lower another at the top. When windows are on but one side of the room a transom should be opened or a door left ajar to help the circulation of air when the wind is not blowing directly on the windows.

Nurse quoted some very good rules for new mothers regarding the baby. She says, mother's milk is nature's food, and no other food is as good. The chances of your baby living are nine times greater on breast milk than cow's milk or any other kind of food. Even though you have but little milk at first do not get discouraged; be patient and try, try again.

There are very few mothers whose breasts will not give sufficient milk if they will but encourage the baby to suck. This keeps the milk flowing and increases its flow. Even though you feel weak, you can nurse your baby without danger to yourself. Only a few diseases forbid nursing.

If you are in doubt consult your doctor; his advice is better than that of your neighbors. Nurse your baby until the tenth month. If you really cannot nurse him as long, give him your milk as long as you can, for every drop he gets adds to his strength for his hard fight in life as no other food does or ever will. Drink plenty of water, but avoid tea, coffee and beer.

Nurse says much illness among children can be traced directly to the lack of personal supervision by the mistress of careless or unthinking servants. In no respect is this more clearly shown than in the care of milk in the kitchen.

The only absolute safeguard for the mother anxious about her little invalid or weakly child will be found to lie in the filtering of milk through clean absorbant cotton immediately upon its arrival and then heating it to a degree high enough to kill the lurking germs of contagion that may be found.

This is a subject that certainly demands the constant consideration of social reformers. It is not generally known that, as a rule, the ordinary marketable milk sold in many large cities is practically unfit for use as the food for an infant, when considered from the standpoint of the time that has elapsed between milking and serving.

Contagious diseases, says nurse, are caused by minute living germs. The object of disinfection is to destroy these. In order that as few articles as possible shall be exposed to infection by the disease germs, at the very beginning of the illness all unnecessary furniture and other unnecessary articles, should be removed from the sickroom.

The following are two best-known disinfectants: Carbolic acid—standard solution No. 1 is composed of six ounces of carbolic acid, dissolved in one gallon of hot water. This makes approximately a five per cent. solution of carbolic acid. Great care must be taken that the pure, acid does not come in contact with the skin. When practicable, the carbolic solution should be used as hot as possible.

Corrosive sublimate (bichloride of mercury)—standard solution No. 2 is composed of sixty grains of pulverized corrosive sublimate and sixty grains of chloride of ammonia, dissolved in one gallon of water. This solution must be kept in glass, or wooden vessels (not in metal vessels). These solutions are very poisonous when taken by mouth, but are harmless when used externally.

For the outdoor season nurse thinks it important that her friends know of cures for bee stings and ivy poison. In case a piece of the sting of a bee, she says, remains in the wound, extract it with the fingers or a small pair of tweezers. The best application for the inflammation is diluted ammonia water, after which a cloth covered with sweet oil should be placed upon the part.

For ivy poison take either a seidlitz powder or rochelle salts, and eat only light, cooling things. Apply the following lotion locally.

Percipitated carbonated zinc, 4 drams; oxide of zinc, 2 drams; glycerine, 2 drams; rosewater, 8 ozs.

Defective teeth are a threat to health by reason of impairment of mastication and consequently of digestion. There is no difference of opinion concerning the value of good teeth properly used in the preparation of food for the digestive process.

While the vigorous stomach may attack particles of food of considerable size and resistance, the process of digestion is naturally slowed up in proportion to the magnitude and firmness of the unground particles. In addition to this, the admixture of healthy, saliva to the food during the process of mastication is of no little consequence, especially in the digestion of starch.

Thus defective teeth are not only injurious by reason of imperfect mastication, but likewise by reason of a failure to properly incorporate the saliva with the finely divided particles of food while it is still in the mouth.

A MIDNIGHT FIRE

Blaze Discovered in the Whitall Mfg. Plant in the Danger District

The prompt discovery of a fire in a brick building owned by the Whitall Manufacturing Co. and located at the corner of Rock and Willie streets, by Patrolman Deerling, shortly before 12 o'clock last night, prevented what would have undoubtedly developed into a disastrous blaze. An alarm from box 17 summoned the fire department to the spot in quick time.

The fire started in a cuspidor on the second floor of the building and it quickly communicated to the walls and floor. The firemen extinguished the blaze by use of chemicals, thus preventing any loss by fire.

BOY STOPS A BURGLAR

BROKE UP AN ATTEMPTED DAYLIGHT LOOTING OF HIS HOME AND CAPTURED ONE MAN

BOSTON, May 4.—John Conley, 19-year-old son of Edward P. Conley, who lives in Suite 1, 12 Roswell street, Roxbury, broke up an attempted daylight looting of his home yesterday afternoon and chased one of the men who had entered the apartment until, with the assistance of a special policeman, he captured him.

The robbery was attempted by two men assisted apparently by a young woman confederate, and in spite of young Conley's interference they succeeded in making away with a gold watch belonging to the elder Conley, who is a machinist.

Young Conley was returning to his home about 2.15 yesterday afternoon when he saw two men entering the place. He hurried after them as fast as he could and found them inside. He immediately grappled with them, and a tussle followed.

Both men broke for the door. Conley hung onto one of the pair, who, when captured later, gave the name of James Dwyer and his address as 11 Dana street, Roxbury.

Dwyer dragged Conley outside and got away from him. Conley saw him apparently pass something to a young woman who stood on the sidewalk and then run.

Conley chased Dwyer for several blocks until he met Special Policeman Kerrigan, in plain clothes, and between them they caught Dwyer and overpowered him. He was locked up on the charge of breaking and entering and the larceny of a watch.

FOR ASSAULTING WIFE

J. H. EHLER OF GLOUCESTER SENT TO STATE PRISON — LEWIS NOYES CONVICTED

SALEM, May 4.—In the superior court yesterday James H. Ehler of Gloucester pleaded guilty of assault on his wife, Mary Ehler, with intent to murder, and was sentenced by Judge Sanderson to state prison for not less than five nor more than seven years. Evidence was submitted to show that Mrs. Ehler was wounded with a knife in the breast and throat. Her condition is critical.

Lewis Noyes of Newbury, convicted of stealing 12 roosters belonging to Frank Perkins, was sentenced to the house of correction for six months.

Ismael Zilfo of Peabody pleaded guilty of carrying a dangerous weapon and was sentenced to the house of correction for two months.

Michael Apostek of Lynn, convicted of breaking and entering, was committed to the house of correction for six months.

Edward J. Murphy of Lynn, convicted of larceny of shoes, was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

WHAT ITALY DEMANDS

Said to Covet Chief Seaports of Dual Monarchy—Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 4.—As the price of peace, Italy is reported to be expecting from Austria-Hungary the surrender of the dual monarchy's entire seacoast. These expectations are said to amount to demands as regarding Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume. In connection with showing the true significance of such demands, how great is the payment demanded by Italy for her continued neutrality, the National Geographic society, following its description of Triest, issued today a statement dealing with Fiume, the sole seaport of the Kingdom of Hungary. The statement reads:

"Austria-Hungary carries on its business with the outside world through its great ports, Triest and Fiume. The future of its over-seas commerce is largely bound up with the development of these cities; for Triest and Fiume are the New York and Boston of Austria-Hungary, or, better, they are the dual monarchy's Hamburg and Bremen. Fiume is the only outlet of the Hungarian kingdom to free water, and the Hungarians have spent millions of dollars in their endeavor to make it a model port. The great Austrian port and the Hungarian port are keen rivals, and, during the last few years, Fiume has grown somewhat at the cost of its northern neighbor.

"Owing to the deep interest which the Hungarians take in their coast city, the business of Fiume has grown rapidly. There are several harbors; one for coasting vessels, one for timber, and a general harbor, begun in 1872, and capable of accommodating about 200 large vessels. It is protected by a breakwater more than half a mile in length, and is flanked by a great, modern quay more than two miles long. The wharves and elevators are equipped in the most up-to-date fashion for the handling of a huge inflow and outflow of trade. The water-front, as the rest of the city, is lighted by electricity.

"In 1910, Fiume was entered by 17,880 vessels of 3,031,381 tons. In approximate figures, its business totaled $55,000,000, divided into an export business of $35,000,000 and an import trade of $20,000,000. Its trade is thus about one-half that of the port of San Francisco. Its exports consist chiefly of the agricultural products of Hungary, grain, flour, sugar, timber, horses, and some manufactured wares. The principal imports are coal, wine, rice, various minerals, fruit, jute, chemicals, oils and tobacco. There are several industrial establishments in the city, among them Whitehead's torpedo factory, a large paper-mill, a royal tobacco factory, flour mills, tanneries and rope factories. The fisheries of the city are important, Quarnero Gulf being filled with food fishes.

"Fiume is picturesquely situated at the head of the Gulf of Quarnero, at the southern base of the Istrian triangle, 40 miles southeast of Triest, or about 70 miles away by the railroad through the mountainous coastland. The city has more than 50,000 population. The Italians constitute the largest part of the populace, and, together with the Slavonians, comprise about 90 per cent. Geographically, Fiume belongs to Croatia. In 1870, however, it finally became a part of the Hungarian kingdom. The Italians, who favor the Hungarians as opposed to the Slavonians, are practically in control of the city's administration.

"Fiume occupies seven square miles of land carved out of Croatia. Around its waterfront, there is a narrow, level plain upon which the new town is built, with its convenient, modern ground-plan, fine business structures and generally substantial architecture. The old town climbs the hills back from the shore, straggling in a quaint disorder of irregular, narrow streets and haphazard houses. Views of the city and its surroundings from the deck of an approaching steamer are delightful, and there are a number of pleasant tours to be made in the neighborhood. Fiume has been Austrian since 1471."

TOTAL OF $2000

Big Contribution From Lowell for the Polish Relief Fund

Late yesterday afternoon Rev. A. Ogonowski, pastor of the Holy Trinity church in High street, announced that the money collected in this city on the tag day for Poland, held Saturday, reached the amount of $1453.64. Later, however, other contributions were received as follows: Mrs. Lucy E. Kyes of Westford, $5; N. Y. Z. of Lowell, $50, making a total of $1513.64. Fr. Ogonowski said the members of his parish volunteered to contribute the balance to make a round $2000. That is a splendid contribution for one city, collected in a few days.

PROTEST BY 500 GIRLS

NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DENY MORAL LAXITY—RUMOR UNJUST AND UNTRUE

NEWTON, May 4.—A resolution was adopted by 500 girl students in the Newton Classical high school yesterday afternoon protesting against the "injustice and untruthfulness" of the communication which appeared in a local paper last week to the effect that the morals of the students in the schools were rumored to be low.

Considerable indignation has arisen among the parents since the communication was published, and the school authorities are making every effort to determine whether such conditions do exist.

The resolution, which may also be adopted by the students of the Technical high school soon, follows:

"We are drawn together today by one accord by a great wave of just indignation at the injustice done to the Newton high school by the 'rumor' which was published in a local paper last week and copied by some of the Boston dailies to be widely circulated among the community. We are here today to show our confidence in the girls of our schools.

"We all appreciate our splendid teaching force and their interest in us and their careful supervision over us. We appreciate our school and the fine reputation which it bears among graduates and educators, and we are grateful for the advantages and protection of home life while attending school, because we know that the whole sentiment of the young women of this school is sound and wholesome and that their principles and ideals are high.

"Be it resolved, that we make formal protest against the injustice and the untruthfulness of this report."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

THE OUTDOOR BEAUTIFIER

It would seem hardly necessary to warn women about their daily walks after all the things we read in the daily papers and magazines regarding the beneficial effects on beauty and health derived from the daily walk.

In my acquaintance of friends I can count at least five women who would prefer to sit in their home all during the splendid spring days than bother to dress and romp out in the sunshine. It is very possible that this habit has become chronic and the effort of dressing is considered a task.

If you have ever been so indiscreet as to waste a glorious day indoors without sufficient reason, perhaps it has taught you a lesson, when you have tried the "getting out" idea, but if you have been so unfortunate as to have wasted all your sunny afternoons, then maybe it will take more strenuous methods to convince you of what you have lost.

Each day, when the weather is fine, don your clothes quickly and jaunt forth to enjoy your birthright, fresh air, and sunshine. If you have no children of your own, borrow your neighbor's and romp along with them. Watch their appreciation of the bright spring days in the park, and your own heart will respond in gladness for innocent mirth of children is infectious, it cannot be denied.

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Letter No. 4 From the Turner Centre Creamery

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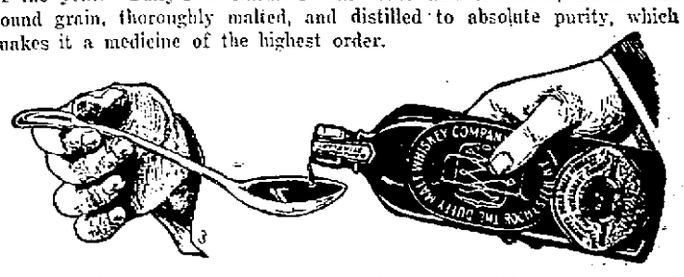

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BOLD ATTEMPT TO KILL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—Charles E. Sebastian, suspended chief of police and candidate for the mayoralty nomination at today's primary election, was the object of an attempted assassination last night. He was sitting in the front room of his residence talking to J. C. Royer, who was a witness in his behalf at Sebastian's trial yesterday on charges of immorality.

About 11 o'clock the telephone bell rang and the chief answered it, talking for about ten minutes. The person at the other end of the wire professed to be a friend of Sebastian and made inquiries about how to mark his ballot in the election.

Returning to the room where he had left Royer, Sebastian was about to sit down when a shot was fired and a bullet crashed through the window, whizzing directly over the chair in which Sebastian had been sitting. Immediately afterward another bullet crashed through the window and lodged in a book lying on a table in the center of the room.

Neighbors attracted by the shots said they saw a man wearing a light overcoat and carrying a satchel run from the rear of the house. About an hour before the shooting neighbors also said they had seen two men lurking in the shadow of the porch of the Sebastian home.

Sebastian has alleged that the charges involving his morality were the outcome of a political plot hatched when he announced himself as a candidate for mayor.

Fred J. Whitten, president of the city council and Ralph Crisswell, socialist, appeared to be Sebastian's most formidable opponents at today's primaries.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Election of Officers and Annual Report Showing Principal Activities of the Year

The twenty-first club year of the Middlesex Women's club was brought to a close yesterday afternoon with the election of officers and the reading of reports. Miss Grace Ward, who has served the club as president so ably and tactfully for the past three years, could not again be constitutionally elected and she retired to the evident regret of the members. Mrs. Charles S. Proctor was elected in her place, and the following ballot, prepared by the nominating committee, was accepted with no nominations from the floor.

President, Mrs. Ida H. Proctor.

Vice presidents, Miss Susie L. D. Watson, Mrs. Ithael A. Stearns, Miss M. Maude Lancaster.

Recording secretary, Miss Mary A. Shattuck.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Annie K. Greene.

Treasurer, Mrs. Annie B. Robertson.

Chairman of finance, Mrs. Emma F. Thompson.

Directors, Mrs. Julia M. Chadwick, Mrs. Gertrude J. Washburn, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney.

Reports of the March business meeting and the annual report of the recording secretary were read by Miss Mary A. Shattuck, and the report of the treasurer was read by Mrs. S. H. Thompson, chairman of finance. The report of the correspondence secretary, Mrs. Harvey B. Greene, showed that the full membership is 700 with 66

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IN POLICE COURT

Larceny of two pairs of shoes valued at three dollars from an unknown person was the complaint preferred against John Smith of South Boston, when the latter was arraigned before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. Clerk Trull asked John to give the court his right name, but the defendant said it was Smith, and pleaded not guilty to the complaint. At the request of Deputy Downey the case was continued until Friday for trial.

James Clark was arrested for drunkenness last night. He was under a suspended sentence and the court ordered the suspension revoked and Clark will spend the next four months in the house of correction.

Sent to Jail

Lester Bent, who was released yesterday morning by Probation Officer Slattery on his first offense, could not abstain from intoxicants and he again pleaded guilty to being drunk, having been arrested a few hours after his release. Three other second offenders were given sentences of one month in jail.

Mentally Deranged

The case of Thomas McCaffrey, charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime and larceny of over $100 worth of jewelry from Henry Lavallee's store on Merrimack street, did not come up for trial this forenoon as the defendant had been pronounced mentally deranged.

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LOBSTERS Large No. 1, Strong, Live, lb. 17c — 3 to 9 p. m.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The batting average of the mills and factories of this city still continues high.

The Building laborers' union has a meeting scheduled for tonight at Trades and Labor hall.

The Carpenters' union, local 49, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the Runels building.

The Tailors' union will meet tonight in the small hall at the Trades and Labor headquarters in Middle street.

Morton Walker, head advertising man for the J. L. Chalifoux Co., is for in favor of the "jitney 'bus," although he owns a gasoline cart.

Dick Preston says "no tickets back" at the coming dancing party to be conducted by the employes of the Mears Adams packing department.

Many employes of shoe shops who had been working but mornings up until a few weeks ago were able to average from $10 to $12 a week.

The fellow who has been out of work all winter must feel about as happy as a wounded soldier invalided home from the front—both thank their stars it's over.

A big meeting of the ringspinner fixers and carder fixers is scheduled for Thursday night when steps will be taken to amalgamate both branches into a single labor organization.

The shoe industry has taken a new lease of life and other business seems to have felt an impetus. All the shoe industries of this city are working better at the present time than they have all year.

The Concord B. & M. bowling five won from the Lowell B. & M. team on a Nashua alley recently by a big margin. W. Chadwick was the high man on the Lowell aggregation, hitting the pins for 270.

Frederick Winslow Taylor, the originator of "scientific management" in industries died recently in Philadelphia. During his lifetime he worked very hard in the interest of the system he originated to speed up labor and installed it in many plants.

The Fall River Iron Works mills employ about 1400 weavers but it cannot be stated at this time what percentage of this number is out on strike. The strike was caused by an order posted that employes in the weaving departments work part of the noon hour. This they refused to do and several hundred walked out.

Teamsters Met

Local 87, Teamsters' union held a brief routine business session in the union quarters in Odd Fellows building last night, and at 32 Middle street the Coal Teamsters' union convened, but only routine business was transacted.

Labor Forward Committee

Among the meetings scheduled for tonight is that of the labor forward committee, which will meet in the Boot & Shoe headquarters in the Runels building to complete further plans for its campaign.

Boilermakers' Union

A meeting of the boilermakers employed at the Boston & Maine repair shops, North Billerica was held last night in Trades & Labor hall but only business of minor importance was transacted. About 250 members were in attendance.

Textile Conference

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers attended the conference of textile workers held in Providence, R. I., Sunday and was given authority to use his own discretion in organizing the folders of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill.

Noonday Speeches

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan and Thomas F. McMahon addressed a large gathering of mill operatives at the Merrimack Mfg. Co., yesterday noon, both speakers talking on organization. They received a good reception.

At noon today Organizers Whelan, McMahon and Hall addressed the workers at the Boott mill gate, speaking on the same subject.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Conference

The New England conference of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union was held in Whitman last Sunday. Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of this city presiding. A number of addresses were made by prominent labor officials and business of considerable importance was transacted. A large delegation from the local union attended the session.

Moulders' Union

The quarterly statement of the international organization was read last night at the regular meeting of the Moulders' union, held in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street. President John Willman presided. Trade conditions were discussed and shown to be improving, and Secretary Anderson of the Trades & Labor council submitted a report on the progress of the labor forward movement.

Loomfixers' Union

John Hanley, the newly elected president of the Loomfixers' union presided over the business session held last night in Carpenters' hall. Among the speakers was former President Peter Coutu, who has left the organization to enter business. The meeting was called to order promptly at 8 o'clock and considerable business of importance was transacted, including the admission of one new member. Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers' and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan spoke on organization work and the union label. Frank R. LeClair, Jr., was chosen to the position of vice-president, vacated by President Hanley's promotion.

Carpenters Union

A ladies' night will in all probability be held in the near future by the Carpenters union for the purpose of giving the wives of the members an insight into the workings of the organization and the meaning of the death benefit. The family of a member of the organization at the present time is entitled to receive $100 upon his death, providing he is in good financial standing, and if his wife should die before him the thing works both ways, and he receives $75. Many cases have happened within the past few years where families have been deprived of the death benefit because of the negligence of the member in not keeping in good financial standing, and by bringing the wives of the members to the union headquarters and explaining matters to them, it is believed that this practice will be done away with, and that few families, if any, will be deprived of what is rightfully due them. The Carpenters union is probably the only organization in the country which pays a death benefit to both the wife and father of the family, simply on prompt payment of the regular monthly fee which at the present time is 75 cents.

TO WED ARTIST'S MODEL

WEALTHY HARVARD MAN OF NEW YORK AWAITS HIS FATHER'S CONSENT

BOSTON, May 4.—Miss Eileen Livingston, the Charlestown girl and artist's model, whose engagement to Leland Henry Niles, a wealthy Harvard student from Amsterdam, N. Y., became known Saturday, is anxiously awaiting with her fiance for word as to how the father of the young man will take the news of the engagement.

Young Niles, who is still a student at the Harvard Graduate School of Architecture, and whose course ends in June, has been reluctant to have his father learn of it until he informs him of it personally. It is not expected, however, that there will be any opposition on the part of the father, as he met Miss Livingston during the last Harvard commencement, when his son was graduated from the college course.

MISS HELEN JOYCE DEAD

HIGHLY ESTEEMED RESIDENT OF CENTRALVILLE PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

The many friends of Miss Helen T. Joyce, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Centralville will be deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred this morning, at her home, 52 Eleventh street, after a long illness borne with patience and resignation. Miss Joyce was a native of Centralville and was prominent in the social and charitable affairs of St. Michael's parish. She was a graduate of Notre Dame Academy and until her health failed she was recognized as one of Lowell's expert accountants. The deceased was a beautiful character, kind, gentle, sincerely religious and deeply devoted to the members of her family and her friends. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ellen T. Joyce, five sisters, Misses Mary C., of the high school and Rose C., Anna F., Jennie R. and Alice L., all of this city, and one brother, Charles H. Joyce, of Watertown, Mass.

KILLS HUSBAND OVER CLOTHES

Woman Shoots When Refused Money For Stylish Garments—Arrested and Held

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., May 4.—Mrs. Ellen Columbia of Montrose, near here, shot her husband, David, because of his refusal to buy clothes of the latest style for her. He died yesterday in a hospital and his wife was arrested after trying to convince Coroner Forshay that the shooting was accidental.

Columbia's wound was in the back and when on the operating table he insisted that he had shot himself. The surgeons told him such a feat was impossible, and he then said that his wife had used a revolver during a quarrel over her clothes.

Mrs. Columbia was fashionably dressed when she appeared before the coroner and showed no signs of having been stinted in the matter of clothes. She asserted that her husband had tried to beat her and that she had used the revolver in self-defense. Columbia was an electrician and the father of three sons.

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41 PERSONS DEAD

Killed or Drowned in the Recent Storms or Floods in Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, May 4.—Forty-one persons were killed or drowned in recent storms or floods in Texas, according to a compilation made public here today. Thirty-six bodies have been recovered, while five persons missing at Austin for two weeks are counted with the dead. Twenty-one of the bodies were recovered at Austin.

Rough estimates place the damage to property by the flood at $2,500,000.

SHIPMENT OF GRAIN

EXPORTATION FROM CANADA TO THE UNITED STATES PROHIBITED

OTTAWA, Ont., May 4.—The shipment of wheat, flour and a large number of other agricultural products and commodities to the United States has been prohibited, it was officially announced today except when such shipments are intended solely for domestic consumption in the United States and not for re-shipment abroad. Exportation of Canadian wheat and other farm products to certain foreign countries through the United States is allowed upon permits to be obtained in each individual case from Dominion authorities here. These permits must be delivered to customs officers at ports of exit, it is announced, before the shipment may be sent out of the country.

Another detail of the new restrictions is that all such products shipped out of the Dominion must be consigned to specific firms or individuals and that bills of lading must state that the products are for consumption in the United States.

Reasons for the restrictions were not divulged.

AID JEWISH SUFFERERS

JACOB SCHIFF SUGGESTS THAT AT LEAST 2,000,000 JEWS SHOULD EMIGRATE BEYOND MISSISSIPPI

NEW YORK, May 4.—Jacob H. Schiff's suggestion that at least two million Jews from abroad should emigrate to the country beyond the Mississippi river created enthusiasm today among those interested in the movement to aid Jewish sufferers from the war. He declared that the west was ready to welcome them and that a land of plenty awaited them there.

Mr. Schiff's proposal was made in an address to the Educational alliance last night on his return from a trip to San Antonio, San Francisco, Kansas City and Chicago, undertaken in part to discover the sentiment toward the Jews in the west.

ATTACKS SEC. BRYAN

McCALL SAYS BRYAN'S MIND IS NOT SOLID—ADMITS HE'S A GOOD TALKER

BOSTON, May 4.—Samuel W. McCall, former congressman, and defeated candidate for the governorship of Massachusetts, gave it as his opinion last night before the Wellesley club at the Hotel Vendome, that the mind of William Jennings Bryan was not solid.

Mr. McCall had been telling his audience, made up of the members of the club and their wives about the working of congress and what he had observed while he was a member of that body. He had reached the point where he was discussing the oratorical merits of his colleagues in congress. "I think that Joseph Cockran of New York was the ablest orator of all those who were in congress at that time. Thomas B. Reed was very able, but the vocabulary of Mr. Cockran was greater and more noble.

"I heard Bryan, who was another of the able speakers of the time, talk for three hours or more. He impressed me as being a great talker, but I also received an impression which has never been eradicated, and that was that he had not the solidity of mind."

RESTRICT SALE OF LIQUOR

Regulations Promulgated at Cape Town Imposing Severe Restrictions

LONDON, May 4.—A Reuter dispatch from Cape Town says regulations have been promulgated imposing severe restrictions on the sale of liquor especially to members of the Union of South Africa and the imperial forces.

LAWRENCE STORE ROBBED

Nelson's Five and Ten Cent store in Lawrence has been entered and $12.65 taken from the cash register, according to a report made to the police. Carpenters have been repairing the store and it is believed the thief entered through a hole in the side of the building.

ALL JUMPERS ARE BARRED

BAN JOHNSON AGREES TO TAKE SUITS BETWEEN FEDS AND O. B. OUT OF COURT

BOSTON, May 4.—President Ban Johnson stated in an interview here today that he had consented to have the suits between organized ball and the Feds taken out of the federal court of Illinois, where they are awaiting a decision by Judge Landis.

"I believe that baseball should never have been taken into the courts," he said. "No man who has jumped a contract or reservation with the American league can ever return into that organization. That is final.

"There is a small army of ball players who are trying to get back into organized ball. They are using the influence of their friends but we will not stand for it."

"My consent to have the suits withdrawn," continued Johnson, "applies only to the American league and has nothing to do with the attitude of the National league.

"At the suggestion of Phillip Ball, president of the St. Louis Federals, a conference of the attorneys of the Federal and American leagues was held in Chicago 10 days ago for the purpose of discussing the withdrawal of the suits. The attorneys of the National league knew nothing of such a meeting. Some progress had been made in the direction of adjustment when other matters were injected into the discussion and the conference broke up without accomplishing anything.

"Mr. Ball agreed with me that the suits never should have been instituted. I do not know whether any further effort will be made to bring about an agreement in this direction."

CHAIRMAN HERMANN TALKS

CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—"I know nothing of any movement looking toward the withdrawing of the Federal league's suit against organized baseball from the federal court in Illinois," said Chairman August Hermann of the national commission today when told that President Johnson of the American league had given out an interview in which he said that he had consented to such a withdrawal.

"Insofar as I know there has been no discussion along this line," continued Mr. Hermann, "and I believe I would certainly know of it if such a matter had been discussed."

PRES. TENER'S STATEMENT

NEW YORK, May 4.—President Tener of the National league when informed of Ban Johnson's statement relative to withdrawing the baseball suits from the Illinois courts said he did not understand the American league executive's remarks. President Tener stated that so far as he knew there was no intention at this time on the part of organized baseball in general and the National league in particular to withdraw the case before Judge Landis.

While National league officials appeared to be more or less mystified by President Johnson's statements it was apparent that the National league authorities did not care to take any definite attitude in the latest development of the baseball controversy.

Robert B. Ward, president of the Brooklyn Federals, and vice president of the Federal league, said that he knew of no plans or arrangements between organized baseball and the independent league that warranted such a statement as credited to Johnson. He said:

"So far as I am concerned personally and as representative of the Federal league I am not ready to have the Illinois suits withdrawn from the courts. I don't understand the situation but you can state for me that the Federal league is not ready to depart from the stand it took when the case was pleaded before Judge Landis. There can be no withdrawal of the controversy from court without the consent of all parties concerned and I am confident that no officer of the Federal league would have taken such a step without informing all other members of the league."

NONE OF SUITS WITHDRAWN

CHICAGO, May 4.—None of the suits before Judge Landis in the United States district court here has been withdrawn, it was stated by the clerk of the court today.

PERSONALS

A son was born yesterday to Supt. of Buildings and Mrs. Francis A. Connor.

The T. M. T. M. club of St. Paul's M. E. church gave a farewell party last evening in honor of Mrs. Garfield W. Horne at the home of Mrs. Ralph P. Adams in Chelmsford Centre. Abel R. Campbell presented Mrs. Horne, who is soon to leave for Pittsfield, Me., a gold brooch in behalf of the club. A social hour was held and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Euclide Vallerand of 56 West Meadow road will be removed to the Lowell hospital Thursday to undergo a serious operation. Her many friends hope she will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roberts and daughter Hazel were agreeably surprised at the home of Mrs. Fred Roberts by members of the Philatheas and the "District School" and other friends of the Worthen Street Baptist church, on the occasion of their future departure from this city. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and their daughter were presented several valuable gifts. Luncheon was served and a musical program was carried out.

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Nobody could find fault with that game, even though we did lose. It was an exhibition seldom seen in any league at this season of the year.

Revenge is surely sweet. After shutting out Worcester in their opening game, Lowell returns home and is beaten in their opener by the same club. Jesse Burkett was remembering all these little details as he smilingly took his way back to town.

Lohman's wild heave was costly. He pitched a good game but much of the goodness was lost by his erratic throw.

It was a big surprise to everybody when the game went over 10 innings. With two men out and two strikes on the local manager, it looked as though Worcester would maintain its one run lead. But it didn't.

Burkett yelled to Justin to work hard on Barrows. On the Worcester bench the leader of the Busters was telling his men about the slugging ability of Lowell's manager when bang! the sickly thud of horsehide and wood rang out. Jesse looked up just in time to get a last look at the sphere before it passed out of sight.

Stimpson had a good day with the stick. The left fielder stands up there with that same confident pose that he possessed last season. His attitude seems to say, "How can a fellow help hitting 'em?"

Billy McMahon has one of the finest whips in this or any other circuit. He shoots the ball right on a line and is accurate. Twice yesterday it took bullet throws to nail the runner, but Billy was equal to the occasion.

Hughey Duffy must have said a few things under his breath down in Lawrence yesterday. Watkins, his big twirler, was so wild that the bases were filled three times in the first session. Lawrence scored three runs, due mostly to Watkins' wildness, for Scanlon pitched a steady game from that time on.

Dick Rudolph knows what it is now to realize that he is being outpitched. The world series hero was humbled yesterday by Dell of the Brooklyn club in a hard 3-2 game. Brooklyn only drew five hits off Rudolph but they came at opportune times.

"For the love of Mike, how many pitchers have you got this year?" asked Jesse Burkett yestrday. "All I can see is a pitcher everywhere I look." It was before the game, and it did look like a big league camp with seven pitchers out there warming up.

What's going to happen? The Giants have won again. After being blanked up to the ninth inning McGraw's men went in and pounded out a 3-2 victory. J. McGraw must feel a trifle more cheerful after this demonstration of gameness.

Before the fun started there was some fun out at the ball park. The carpenters were busy hustling about and trying to complete rough accomodations for the grandstand patrons and the players were trying to get a little practice. Every few minutes a ball would come back among the workmen. There's many a sore spot today in Contractor Creamer's crew.

PICTURE OF JIM DUFFY

Bunting Club Honors the Memory of the Marathon Runner Killed in the European War

The members of the Bunting club were presented a handsome photograph of the late Jimmy Duffy, who was killed in the European conflict. It will be remembered that the honor of opening the Bunting tracks in 1914 went to Mr. Duffy, who won the Marathon race, which proved one of the most interesting events of this kind ever conducted in this city. The photograph is a gift of the Marion studio. It will be framed and given a conspicuous place in the club rooms.

ED. WALSH SERIOUSLY ILL

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—Developing a severe case of grippe from a cold contracted five days ago, Ed. Walsh, Chicago American league pitcher, suffered from a high fever yesterday, and was in such a condition that his departure for Chicago has been indefinitely postponed.

ELKS BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, May 4.—A team from the Revere lodge last night won the Elks' bowling championship help in connection with the title of the Atlantic Coast Bowling association. Their score for a five man candle pin team was 1176, of which "Red" Miller contributed a pin fall of 341.

C. C. Henry of this city set a new tournament high mark for individual duck pins with 323. In the two men duck pin class Paige and Hardy, also of Boston, set 624 as the high score.

Candle pin keeper was Mediocre. Individually, H. L. Waters won the honors with 302, while Schultz and Hennessy were high rollers in doubles at 606.

MR. BRIDGEFORD INJURED

FELL DOWN EMBANKMENT AND SUSTAINED SERIOUS CUTS AND BRUISES

While assisting in the construction of a stone wall near the entrance of the G. C. Moore scouring mills yesterday afternoon, John Bridgeford of North Chelmsford stumbled over a large boulder and tumbled headlong down an embankment, sustaining severe injuries to his head, besides a severe shock to his system and numerous cuts and bruises about the body. Medical assistance was hastily summoned and the injured man was removed to his apartment over the mill. Mr. Bridgeford has been employed as an engineer by the G. C. Moore Co. for a number of years.

UNION B. HUNT DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 4.—Union B. Hunt, 51, president of the insurance department of the Supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, died yesterday.

TOURING SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AYRES, May 4.—Former Senator Theodore Burton and Judge Otto Schoennech, who are touring So. America to promote closer relations with the United States, will arrive tomorrow from Chile. They will be met by Ambassador Frederick J. Stimson and the embassy staff. Later in the week they will be entertained by Senor De La Plaza and the minister of foreign affairs.

GAMES TOMORROW

New England League

Lowell at Fitchburg.
Lawrence at Lewiston.
Lynn at Portland.
Manchester at Worcester.

American League

Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

National League

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Federal League

St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Baltimore.
Kansas City at Buffalo.
Pittsburgh at Newark.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League

Worcester 5, Lowell 4.
Lawrence 4, Portland 1.
Lewiston 5, Lynn 4.
Fitchburg 4, Manchester 2.

American League

Boston-Washington—rain.
New York 8, Philadelphia 4.

National League

Brooklyn 3, Boston 2.
New York 3, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 1, (called 5th, rain.)

Federal League

Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 1.
Brooklyn 8, Pittsburgh 7.
Chicago 7, Buffalo 3.
Baltimore 7, Kansas City 5.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lawrence	2	0	100.0
Lowell	1	1	50.0
Manchester	1	1	50.0
Worcester	1	1	50.0
Fitchburg	1	1	50.0
Lewiston	1	1	50.0
Lynn	0	1	00.0
Portland	0	1	00.0

American League	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	10	4	71.4
Detroit	13	6	68.5
Chicago	11	8	57.9
Washington	8	6	57.1
Boston	5	6	45.5
Cleveland	8	10	44.4
St. Louis	5	13	27.8
Philadelphia	4	11	26.7

National League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	12	4	75.0
Chicago	11	6	64.7
Boston	8	7	53.3
Cincinnati	9	8	52.9
St. Louis	10	9	52.6
Brooklyn	7	10	41.2
Pittsburgh	5	12	29.4
New York	4	10	28.6

Federal League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	12	5	70.6
Pittsburgh	11	8	57.9
Newark	11	8	57.9
Brooklyn	10	9	52.6
Kansas City	9	9	50.0
St. Louis	7	10	41.2
Baltimore	7	12	36.8
Buffalo	6	13	31.6

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FAST GAME FOR OPENER

Worcester Defeated Lowell 5-4 in 13 Innings—Sensational Contest at Spalding Park

Lowell went down to defeat yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in the opening game of the 1915 season in this city in one of the hardest fought diamond contests seen here in years, when Pitcher Lohman uncorked a wild heave in the 13th session, thus allowing Gardella two extra bases and a position at third base from which he subsequently scored on a sacrifice fly. The final score was 5—4.

Cold weather and poor playing conditions, notwithstanding, both teams played wonderful baseball. Time and again one club scored only to have the tallies evened up by the other. There was no inning which netted more than a single run.

Before the contest the two clubs marched to the flagpole in centre field and hoisted Old Glory. Mayor Murphy then mounted the rubber and, after a lengthy windup, pitched the first ball of the game.

Lohman and Justin were the pitchers chosen to work yesterday. Johnson replaced Justin in the 12th when signs of weakness were apparent.

Cuke Barrows lifted the ball high and far in the last half of the 10th with two out and two strikes called upon him. The sphere has reached the earth again, we think, but just where isn't certain. The last seen of the particular horsehide that the Lowell manager caressed with his wand was a tiny speck journeying skyward over the rightfield fence. Many of the fans had begun to leave the stands when Barrows came through with his long homer which again tied up the score.

The game in detail follows:

First Inning

Worcester was retired in the first inning. Keegan lifted a high fly which Greenhalge took after jogging half across the diamond. It was Lohman's ball but Snubber showed good judgment in taking it after he had started to make the play. McCleskey made a nice stop and accurate peg of Cooney's hard grounder near second base. Mac also gobbled up Gardella's grounder but this chance was easier. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Swayne waited out Justin's rather erratic delivery and drew a pass after getting in a hole for two strikes. McMahon then promptly sacrificed Swayne to second and the shivering fans yelled to Barrows to bring in a run. The local manager drove out a line drive to Keegan in left. Swayne remaining at second. Stimpson lined a hard grounder through Gardella into left field and Swayne scored. Keegan was slow in returning the ball. Potteiger pulled down Meyer's long fly to centre after a hard run. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1; Worcester, 0.

Second Inning

Potteiger jollied Lohman into free transportation. Gardella hit to Lohman and went out at first by a narrow margin. Potteiger went to second and old Jess ordered his men to bring in a run. Carroll doubled to the right field fence and Potteiger ambled home, tieing the score. Lohman took Young's smash to the box and threw him out at first. Carroll was held at second. Donahue closed the inning with a strikeout, the first in the game. One run, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit to Cabrera and the Cuban made a put-out unassisted. The Worcester first baseman made a beautiful catch of Cooney's wild heave when Dee grounded to short and Dee was out. Greenhalge struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score, Lowell, 1, Worcester, 1.

Third Inning

Justin sent a long fly to centre which Barrows took care of. "Cuke" did a sprint act, however, before pulling it down. Keegan smote the sphere on a line into centre for a single. Stimpson could not quite reach Cooney's high fly which dropped fair by a few feet. Keegan went to second and Cooney was safe on first. Gardella lifted a short fly to right which Swayne was waiting for. Greenhalge and Dee pulled off a beautiful play when Snubber shot the ball to second before Keegan could get back to the bag after taking a long lead. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Lohman's fly was a cinch for Potteiger in short centre. Swayne worked another bunco game on Gustin and strolled to first. McMahon smashed a long fly to centre which Potteiger gathered in after a long run. Barrows hit under one which Carroll took in front of the plate. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Worcester 1.

Fourth Inning

Potteiger took a healthy swing at Lohman's first offering but the best that he could do was to send up a fly to McCleskey. Dee made a swell stop and peg when Cabrera hit down in his direction. The throw beat the runner by a stride. Barrows continued his good work by making a difficult catch of Carroll's long fly to left centre. The Lowell team got a big hand on its return to the bench. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Stimpson caught one on the nose at the opening of Lowell's half of the fourth and the ball rolled into deep left field between Potteiger and Keegan. Stimmy worked his legs to good advantage and was at third base when the ball came back to the diamond. Meyers drove a liner to centre, bringing Stimpson home. Only the fastest of fielding by Potteiger held Meyers at first. McCleskey sacrificed Meyers to second with a slow roller to Gardella. Gardella then made a nice catch of Dee's foul fly within a few feet of the bleachers. Carroll grabbed Greenhalge's foul fly. One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell, 2; Worcester, 1.

Fifth Inning

Dee and Meyers put skids under Young on his grounder to short. It was a close play and a neat one. Donahue struck out for the second time, Lohman serving him nothing but soft strikes Lohman threw out Justin on his weak grounder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Lohman was easy for Cooney and Cabrera. Swayne walked to first for the third time. Billy McMahon made several enemies when he sent a foul tip into the yet unprotected stand. There was some lively scrambling about for a few seconds. McMahon hit into a double play with a sharp grounder to the Worcester pitcher. Justin threw the ball to second ahead of Swayne and McMahon died at first on a close decision. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Sixth Inning

Keegan attempted to slip one over on the Lowell infield and laid down a bunt toward third base. McMahon was waiting for it, however, and shot the ball to Meyers ahead of the runner. Billy was again called into play on Cooney's grounder and again a put-out resulted. Gardella drove the ball over left field fence which went foul by a very few feet. If the wind had not changed its course the score would have been a tie. Gardella's next attempt was a fly which dropped into Swayne's glove for the third out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

About this time the fans were trying to borrow gloves and buy overcoats. An enthusiasm for anything but a warmer climate was at a premium. Barrows spanked one to centre-field for a single. Stimpson sacrificed his manager to the next station. Meyers lifted to Young in short-left, near the foul line. McCleskey's high fly was accepted by Keegan. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 1.

Seventh Inning

Potteiger took a toe-hold and leaned on Lohman's first offering for a triple over Stimpson's head. The former Lowell outfielder did some tall hustling around the bases. Cabrera sliced the atmosphere three times in a feeble attempt to bring in another Worcester run. Carroll laid down a beautiful bunt which squeezed in Potteiger with another run, tying the score. Carroll was out at first. McMahon threw out Young on the latter's grounder to third. One run, one hit, no errors.

Dee sent smashing single into left. The ball went by Gardella 60 miles a minute, or thereabouts. Greenhalge attempted to sacrifice Shorty along a sack, but popped out to Gardella. Lohman singled to left, sending Dee to second. The crowd broke into enthusiastic entreaties for another run. Swayne sent up a fly to Potteiger. Potty did not have to move for it. McMahon went out on a grounder to the Worcester pitcher and the score was still a tie. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Eighth Inning

Dee and Meyers worked smoothly to the extinction of Donahue. Lohman threw out Justin. McCleskey knocked down Keegan's grounder and pegged the left fielder out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Cooney was in front of Barrows' grounder and the Lowell manager died at first. Stimpson lifted to Young and was an easy out. Mayers' grounder along the first base line was taken by Cabrera. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Ninth Inning

Cooney drove a hard grounder at McMahon and Billy pushed it to first for the put-out. Dee took Gardella's grounder and threw to first, Meyers taking the ball on the first hop for the put-out. Potteiger slammed a single over second into centre. Cabrera filed to Barrows in short centre. No runs, one hit, no errors.

McCleskey hit a slashing grounder to the left of Young. The latter stopped the ball, but could not recover the ball in time to get Mac. Dee popped a Texas leaguer into left, McCleskey going to second.

McCleskey went out trying to steal third. Dee took second on the play.

Greenhalge struck out.

Lohman singled to centre. Dee tried to score and was thrown out at the plate, Potteiger to Carroll. No runs, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Worcester 2.

Tenth Inning

Carroll walked. Young reached first when Dee failed to stop his grounder, Carroll going to second. It was the first error of the game. Donahue attempted to sacrifice but Carroll was forced at third.

Justin singled to centre, scoring Young. Donahue was caught between second and third. Keegan singled to right centre, sending Justin to second. Cooney forced Keegan at second with a grounder to Dee. One run, two hits, one error.

Swayne flied to Keegan.

McMahon was thrown out, Carroll to Cabrera.

Barrows tied the score with a home run over the right field fence. The crowd rushed onto the field and the game was held up while Umpire Branfield sent them back to the bleachers. It was one of the longest hits ever seen at Spalding park.

Stimpson flied to Donahue. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Eleventh Inning

Gardella groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. Potteiger flied to Barrows. Cabrera flied to McMahon. No runs, no hits, no errors

Meyers flied to Donahue. Young threw out McCleskey at first.

Gardella made a one-hand catch of Dee's liner. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score; Lowell 3, Worcester 3.

Twelfth Inning

Carroll struck out. Young singled.

Donahue dropped a Texas leaguer into right, Young going to second. Justin flied to Barrows.

Keegan singled to left, scoring Young and sending Donahue to third.

Cooney groundered out, McMahon to Meyers. One run, two hits, one error.

Greenhalge doubled to left centre.

Lohman doubled to left centre, scoring Greenhalge.

Swayne bunted safely, Lohman going to third.

McMahon foul-flied to Carroll.

Justin was taken out and Johnson went in for Worcester.

Barrows rolled to Johnson, Swayne going to second.

Stimpson groundered to Cabrera. One run, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 4, Worcester 4.

Thirteenth Inning

Gardella singled.

Gardella went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Potteiger's sacrifice fly.

Cabrera groundered out, McMahon to Meyers.

McMahon threw out Carroll. One run, one hit, no errors.

Meyers flied out to Cooney.

Gardella threw out McCleskey.

Cooney threw out Dee.

The score:

WORCESTER

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Keegan lf	6	0	3	3	0	0
Cooney 2b	6	0	1	5	4	0
Gardella 3b	6	1	1	4	2	0
Potteiger cf	4	2	2	4	1	0
Cabrera 1b	6	0	0	14	2	0
Carroll c	5	0	1	6	1	0
Young ss	5	2	1	1	2	0
Donahue rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Justin p	5	0	1	0	3	0
Johnson p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	48	5	10	39	16	0

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McMahon 3b	5	0	0	3	3	0
Barrows cf	6	1	2	6	1	0
Stimpson lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meyers 1b	6	0	1	21	0	0
McCleskey 2b	5	0	1	2	2	1
Dee ss	6	0	2	1	5	1
Greenhalge c	5	1	1	4	3	0
Lohman p	5	0	3	0	5	0
Totals	46	4	13	39	25	2

Worcester	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1		—5
Lowell	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0		—4

Two-base hits: Carroll, Greenhalge, Lohman. Three base hits: Stimpson, Potteiger. Home run: Barrows. Stolen base: Dee. Sacrifice hits: McMahon, McCleskey, Stimpson, Potteiger. Double plays: Justin, Cooney and Cabrera; by Lowell 2. First base on errors: By Worcester 1. Bases on balls: Off Justin 3; off Lohman 2. Hits: Off Justin 13 in 12 1-3 innings. Struck out: By Justin 2; by Lohman 3. Wild pitch: Lohman. Umpire: Bransfield. Time: 3.01.

RANGE OF BIG GUNS

INVENTOR OF MELINITE SAYS THERE IS NO LIMIT, IN DISCUSSING BOMBARDMENT

PARIS, May 4.—"Theoretically there is no limit to the range of big guns," said Henry Turpin, the inventor of melinite, to a representative of the Petit Parisien in discussing the bombardment of Dunkirk. "When I was attached to the technical artillery section of the ministry of war General Andre, then minister, asked me to make special experiments to see if it was possible to produce a projectile with a range equivalent to the distance from Calais to Dover. My first experiments and calculations showed it was possible to attain a much greater range than that."

It was while connected with the ministry of war that M. Turpin invented the aerial torpedo which the Germans appear to be using on both fronts and the inventor is unable to understand how they learned the secret.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS

LONDON, May 4.—A British official announcement, issued today, says Germany is arranging through the American ambassador to accord exactly similar treatment to the British officers who have been especially confined in Germany as that given by Great Britain to German submarine prisoners.

When Great Britain captured the crews of certain German submarines these prisoners were not sent to the regular camps but were allotted to special barracks. Hearing of this the German authorities took a number of British officers prisoners in their hands and in retaliation subjected them to treatment as harsh as that visited by the British on the submarine prisoners.

Investigations were made through the American embassies in both Berlin and London with the result that the treatment of both these sets of prisoners was found not to be as harsh as had been imagined.

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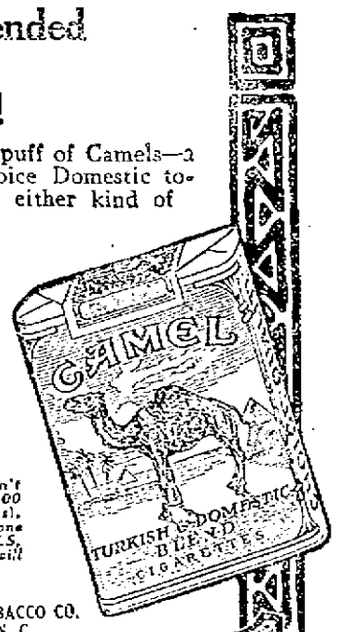

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ST. MICHAEL'S MISSION

The Edifice Crowded at Second Night of Men's Mission—Sermon on Justice by Fr. Murray

St. Michael's church in Centralville was crowded last evening when the second service of the mission for the men of the parish was opened. Every seat in the big auditorium was filled and extra seats were placed in the sanctuary and outside the altar railing to accommodate those who could not find seats in the body of the church. The choir loft was also comfortably filled.

Rev. Fr. Murray, O. F., gave the instructions and preached the sermon. In opening he told of the good work already started by the men of the parish and urged all to persevere to the end, that the mission might prove an unprecedented success. In order to do this, he said, it was necessary that every man in the parish attend the services in the evening throughout the week, and also the masses in the morning.

In his sermon, Fr. Murray took for his text a passage from the sixth chapter of St. Matthew as follows: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all other things shall be added unto you.

The reverend preacher then told of the extraordinary kindness and mercy of God, and of the reward He has promised those who remain faithful. The kingdom of heaven, he said, means peace in this world and everlasting happiness in the next, if we but remain true to the teachings of the church and show our sense of justice to Him who created the world out of nothingness. In order to realize this fully, said Fr. Murray, every man has to show to the world his sense of justice, which in other words is a square deal. Give your neighbor his just due, said Fr. Murray, by setting the example of leading a good life, and all promised things will follow. Fr. Murray then told of the man who thinks he is deeply imbued with the spirit of a square deal towards his neighbor, in that he pays all monetary debts, and perhaps returns the kindnesses shown by his neighbor. But all this, said Fr. Murray, is not satisfying in the eyes of God. God wants and expects, said Fr. Murray, that every man show his spirit of justice and duty towards his neighbor by example, by attending mass regularly on Sundays and holy days, by frequenting the sacraments, and by avoiding sin in all its forms.

Man never thinks, said the preacher, of giving a square deal to God who has done so much for him and he never thinks of paying to God what is His due.

Fr. Murray told of the justice that should be shown to the Holy Ghost, for enlightening the soul of man and of the spirit of justice that should be shown to the church, which has fought sin and vice for centuries. This attribute very rarely shows up in man, said Fr. Murray, although he goes out and openly boasts of his love of a square deal

He also told of the enemies of the church and religion and of their antagonism to both because of the activity shown by each in combatting the evils of the world. I want to know, said Fr. Murray, if every man in this vast congregation has enough sense of justice not to play into the hands of these enemies of the church to set a good example to them by leading good and wholesome lives.

Fr. Murray told of the sense of justice due the pastor of the church and his assistants, saying that the pastor wants not sufficient money to run his parish but he does want the salvation of the souls of his parishioners. By his hard and untiring work to this end, said Fr. Murray, the pastor is entitled to a square deal, and the men of his parish should give him his due. He also told of the debt owed to the self-sacrificing wife and mother.

In closing Fr. Murray urged all to show a spirit of justice towards the world and to God by leading good lives. By doing this he said, they would be deriving the real joys of life, and their reward would be amply reaped in the life to come.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, with Rev. Francis Mullin as celebrant. During the service the sanctuary choir under the direction of Choirmaster James A. Murphy, rendered "Praise to the Holiest," "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo." Preceding the sermon, Fr. Lawler recited the rosary, the congregation responding. The services ended with the singing of the hymn "Holy God" by the congregation.

ASH BARREL FIRE

A telephone alarm at about 10 o'clock this forenoon was for a fire in an ash barrel in the rear of a house on Ames place, off School street. No damage.

SEALERS ICE BOUND

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 4.—Three steamers of the sealing fleet returned from the Gulf of St. Lawrence yesterday with a total of 2400 pelts, one of the smallest catches known in the industry. The Diana had 400 pelts, the Viking 500, and the Terranova 2500. The sealers Eagle and Bloodhound are ice bound at Green Pond, Bonavista Bay on the east coast. Their return will end the season, which has been the poorest in the annals of the colony.

REWARDED FOR HEROISM

BOSTON, May 4.—As a reward for holding back a crowd of aliens who attacked Dr. H. B. C. Reimer at the immigration station last week Giovanni Magni, who had been detained as undesirable, was given his freedom yesterday. He was under deportation orders but Secretary of Labor Wilson reversed his decision because of Magni's heroism.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Continued

names on the waiting list. Brief reports were made by Mrs. Grace C. Perham, chairman of the house committee; Mrs. W. G. Eaton, chairman of visitors' tickets; who reported that 50 waiting list tickets have been sold during the year and Miss M. Maude Lancaster, who gave a condensed account of the year's program.

The following delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Marlon, June 24 and 25, were chosen by nominations from the floor; Mrs. C. W. Russell, Miss Grace Ward, Mrs. S. H. Thompson, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Miss Bessie B. Hadley, Mrs. Willis G. Eaton, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney and Miss Ella M. Wells.

Mrs. Sidney R. Fleet read the report of the playground committee, the work of which will soon be taken over by the park commission. Credit for the present success of the playgrounds was given largely to the first chairman, Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy. Mention was made also of the valuable cooperation of the college club and the park commission.

A vote of thanks was extended to many who have extended special favors to the club, including Mr. Stevens, the janitor, and a vote of appreciation was extended to the retiring officers. Mrs. Proctor, the new president, was escorted to the platform by Miss Ward and spoke briefly, expressing her thanks for the honor conferred and asking for the cooperation of the members in keeping up the high standard of the club. A reception to the retiring officers was held in Middlesex hall, and refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

Miss Ward's Report

The annual report, read by the retiring president, Miss Grace Ward, was quite interesting It had the following parts:

Once a year it seems to be incumbent upon us to ignore that very familiar and excellent exhortation to "Look out and not in; look forward and not back," and to adopt quite the contrary rule in reviewing the work of the year.

This year will be memorable in history as the year of "the war." While we have tried to do our part in helping to alleviate the unspeakable suffering across the seas, we have made an effort not to allow the tragedies of the war to enter too much into our club program, for we have felt that this year, if ever, we needed diversion and good cheer. If the year has been a success and brought to you both pleasure and profit, we are glad. To no one person is the credit due, for the machinery of a club like ours requires many heads and many hands, but all working in harmony can achieve great results.

The report of the chairman of the playground committee shows how much the club is indebted to her and her able assistants for their excellent, economical and efficient management of their part of the playground work. It is to be hoped that the city fathers will become more impressed with the importance of the recreational work among the children, and that in due time Lowell will attain to the front rank in living up to its opportunities in this particular.

Policewomen

The civics department, besides assisting the education department in the moving picture investigation, has been active along several different lines, having given much time and thought to the subject of tuberculosis. Success has crowned their efforts, at least to the extent of providing a special tuberculosis district nurse, through the Lowell Guild. They have also been studying the subject of policewomen or police matrons, whose duty it is to supervise the public dance halls and to see that the young women reach home safely at night. In cooperation with the board of trade they have assisted in carrying on a city beautiful and clean-up campaign. The horticultural exhibit held in Middlesex hall in connection with this was the first of its kind in Lowell, a remarkable display and a credit to the city.

It is gratifying to hear so many words of commendation for the year's program, and yet it is no surprise to hear that others (we hope not many) have not found the course as interesting as usual! One feels like asking "Did you hear Professor Phelps describe his literary pilgrimage in England, or his lecture on Robert Browning? How about Dean Brown, didn't you enjoy him? And Mrs. MacDowell, and Mr. Garrett on the Lorna Doone country, were they not delightful? Didn't Mrs. Kidder take off the London Flower Girl well? What an inspiring lecture Dr. Cabot's was, and wasn't the music of the Longy club a revelation of what wind instruments may do?"

Though our social obligations have not been numerous, they have been excellent in quality and well attended. Our "Gentlemen's Night" in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the club was a marked success and many requests have come that such an affair be repeated oftener than once in ten years.

On March 12th we discharged our social obligations to some of the other clubs by inviting the Massachusetts delegates to the Chicago biennial to attend a reunion of our club and share with us the lecture on Browning by Prof. Phelps. By the expression of their faces, as well as by their spoken words, it proved to be as one of them expressed it "a banner day" for them.

Three large packing boxes of clothing have been sent to the Belgians; one has been distributed among the poor of Lowell, while two other boxes of old cotton and linen have been collected for use in the hospitals of northern France. These latter helped to supply 16 cases, containing 232,938 pieces, which were sterilized and sent under the auspices of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. We have also been instrumental in raising several hundred dollars from the citizens at large for the purchase of food for the war sufferers. The latest advices from the front tell us that no more clothing is needed (at least for Belgium), but they urge all committees and individuals to focus their efforts upon supplying food, of which there is a serious and growing shortage.

The club has appointed two delegates as members of the Flying Squadron permanent committee, and one member to represent the club in investigating the conditions of the public dance halls.

In closing, your president wishes to take this opportunity to express to you her sincere appreciation of the unfailing kindness, encouragement and loyalty that have been shown her during her three years of service, and her hope that she may not have proved unworthy of the confidence that has been placed in her, nor of the honor conferred upon her.

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THE VICIOUS CIRCLE

All friends of American business, of labor, as represented by the ordinary worker, and of the general public should beware lest, in the abuse of power, any group, whether among the capitalists or among the labor interests, should go too far in its demands. Full prosperity can survive only through friendly co-operation, and it is very possible for a misguided group to exercise selfishness to such an extent that the results should be general disorganization and industrial depression.

It must be apparent to the labor unions, for instance, that in some cases their demands may approach confiscation. They may organize successfully, may become a power politically and industrially, may right many wrongs and finally make demands that can only be met at public expense. In many lines of manufacture and business generally the margin between profit and loss is narrow, and in such cases, heavy labor demands will result in higher prices for the customer or the consumer. In this way it is quite possible for the worker to get an increase in wages that must be later paid back in a higher price for the commodities of life. It is not the amount of wages received that is all-important in the long run; it is the amount that the average worker can save, or the living that he may enjoy from his earnings. It is the purchasing power of the dollar.

This fact is illustrated by the coal situation. Some years ago coal was less than $6 per ton; today it is about $8 per ton, and will be higher in the fall. The increase may be due to more than one cause, but the coal producers attribute it to the increased expenditures that have followed labor agitations. Thus, the gain to American labor in wages is offset by the heavy expenses for living comforts. When all is weighed, the direct gain may be found negligible.

Another instance is afforded by the railroad situation. With the advent of the automobile and the electric car, the steam railroads lost heavily in revenue, yet upon the heels of these losses followed insistent demands of all classes of railroad employes for higher wages. These demands could not be well refused, and in most instances they were backed up by the American public, but ultimately the public must pay the cost. Few American railroads now make large profits but still from time to time the employes make demand after demand for higher wages. When added to these demands is the other demand for improved equipment, the lot of the railroads is seen to be anything but rosy. Thus, again, the gain of the railroad employe has resulted in a loss to the general public, and so the circle of increasing demands is again in evidence. In the case of the railroads, it is evident that unless there is a radical change in the attitude of the public, the entire system of railroad transportation will have to be revolutionized, and it may be that then American labor will lose far more than it has ever gained.

New England also has experienced the labor agitation that, after a long deadlock, has crippled some industry and left bitter feelings between the owners of an industry and the workers. When, for instance, shoe concerns of Lynn and elsewhere are driven out of business, who triumphs? The shoe concerns do not win, it is certain, but what do the workers win? Any agitation that would permanently injure an industry is a detriment to labor, and should be frowned upon by all wise people in labor circles and outside.

As unions grow strong they must not abuse their power, if they are to be a permanent benefit to the people. They must beware of extremists and reactionary agitators who care little for the good of any class and aim only at perpetual disruption, for deep-seated reasons. The great mass of American labor union members are sane, public-spirited and patriotic, but they must beware of erratic leaders and policies that would lead them into danger. Any agitation that would aim at extreme measures, that would make unfair demands and that would stir up class passion and prejudice has evil fruits and should be avoided. It is very possible for misguided and short-sighted groups in any class to carry their fight against a grievance to such a point that they would become a greater menace than that which they are ostensibly fighting. All who work for betterment should beware of the vicious circle, the effects of which are evident to the thinker.

WATCH THE HOODLUM

The activities of the hoodlum form one of the most serious problems confronting the police department of all our communities during the summer season. Gangs of young roughs, some of them scarcely out of the nursery and some advanced in their 'teens congregate together early in the season and make themselves generally objectionable. Their vicious habits and practices are a decided nuisance and in many instances they become so objectionable in certain parts of our cities that many hesitate to use out of the way streets after dark or to avail of the parks which are supported by public money for the use of the general public. This is unfortunately as true of Lowell as of any other city and it would seem from the records of the last few years that our hoodlums are growing in number and in power.

The city of Malden had an experience last Saturday which should be a warning to all our communities. There, a parade had been organized for the official opening of the clean-up campaign, and Saturday evening, 500 boys and girls carrying banners with appropriate mottoes started out from the state armory accompanied by the mayor, his wife and representatives of civic leagues. There was a band, and the usual features of such a parade, including American flags. Shortly after the parade started, it was stoned by hooting and jeering crowds of hoodlums who kept up their lawless offences along the line of march, causing many injuries among the marchers. Even the presence of a mounted police squad at the head of the procession did not discourage the villainous roughs who evidently, and perhaps wisely, saw something objectionable to their existence in the starting of a "clean-up" campaign. Malden has learned from this regrettable experience that to clean up the city properly it must not stop at the streets, parks, homes and lawns. It must clean out the organized gangs of hoodlums that have shown themselves to be a great menace to the public.

This is an extreme instance, but to some extent Lowell suffers from the same activity. It is a most regrettable fact that decent girls cannot go to some of our summer parks—especially in the evening—without hearing indecent and insulting remarks, and that people whose homes are in the vicinity of such parks are being continually offended by ribald conversation and profanity. Even where the city hires an official watchman, such things go on, as it is impossible for him to keep a close watch on all the various groups of young roughs that infest some of the parks and make it impossible for decent people to go there. It should certainly be possible for two girls to go unattended by a male escort to any of our parks or commons throughout the day or evening without being grossly offended and insulted by obscene and double-meaning salutations. Nobody will object to sport or play if indulged in legitimately, but all public-spirited citizens will object to our public places being spoiled by the pest of the undesirable hoodlum.

It is obviously difficult for the police department to handle this question adequately, as most of those who are insulted prefer to make no complaint rather than to invite the publicity of a court experience. They simply do what scores have done, resolve to avoid the scene of the insult and leave the park to the undesirables. This does not intimate, of course, that all of the young men, or old men, who use the parks and commons belong to the undesirable class, but anybody who has experience knows full well that the conditions described are very, very common.

Now is the time for the police department to exert itself, while the season is young. All of our larger parks should be adequately policed, and well lighted at night, and those found objectionable should be prosecuted without delay. Evidently in Malden the gangs think themselves more mighty than the police department, and the same feeling will grow up where hoodlums are permitted to indulge in vicious habits with impunity. Now is the time for the police department to keep an eye on the habitual loafers, the unmanly toughs, and the indecent few that by their bad example contaminate many. The elimination of the gangs from our streets and public places removes many a nursery of crime, keeps misery from many a home and protects the public.

IRELAND AND THE WAR

Just at present a great many people who never took any interest in Ireland before are dilating upon what her attitude should be in the European war. They rake up the history of the past to excite the prejudice of Irishmen against England; but they fail to mention the undeniable fact that a peaceful revolution has been effected in Ireland during the last fifteen years and that but for the war Ireland would now be well started on an era of prosperity rarely equalled in her history, and yet but a preparation for the better times to come under home rule.

The war has affected conditions of course, but the Irish people under their able and responsible leader, know what they are doing, and they know too, what is coming to them at the end of the war. It is to their credit that they are not led into ruinous plots and discord by the paid agents of Germany. Nor is England to be criticized for suppressing pro-German newspapers notoriously supported by German funds.

It is fashionable in some quarters to revile Hon. John E. Redmond, the Irish leader. This is a favorite practice by some men who never before evinced any great interest in the Irish cause and who are in no sense authorized to speak for the Irish people either here or in Ireland. It is fortunate for Ireland that in this crisis she is guided by one of the ablest statesmen in Europe and a man whose patriotism is unquestioned. At present he is having a strong force of Irish volunteers trained at the expense of the government to be ready to defend home rule when the war is over should any attempt be made to restrict or delay its operation.

Everybody regrets the casualties in the war, of course, and no doubt there will be considerably more before the conflict is over; but if Mr. Redmond had opposed recruiting or advised neutrality, there would have been conscription in Ireland and Irishmen would go to the war in hand cuffs while the whole country would be under martial law if not made the scene of bloodshed. Nobody at the opening of this war had any idea that it would be such a terrible conflict; but now that the fate of Ireland is linked with England in the great international struggle, she must continue to do her share until peace is declared. She will then be in a position to defeat any possible attempt to overturn home rule.

The rebellion of 1798 would not be a circumstance to what would follow any backward step on the part of the government whether liberal or tory. Let no man assume that home rule is to be set aside. Mr. Redmond is making that impossible under any condition that can arise and the people are thoroughly united in support of his policy.

SECRET SESSIONS

We should have no secret sessions either in the municipal council or in the school department. On this point the charter is very specific, and any secret conclave, session or conference at a time of official meeting is not strictly in accordance with the spirit of the charter. Some of the worst evils of past administrations were directly due to such secret sessions or plots, and they have been frowned upon by the Lowell public. Recently there has been a tendency to revive secret conferences and sessions, but the practice will not stand the light of pitiless publicity.

It does not seem that in planning for a high school site, a contagious hospital site, a white way or any other improvement, the municipal council has anything to hide from the public; such things, if they are ever to come, will come through the expenditure of public moneys. In voting for improvements our city council simply plans to spend some of that money, and the public should be acquainted not only with the arranged facts but the entire process of coming at such an arrangement. Secret sessions tend to create suspicion in the public mind, and though the most honest aims were intended, one cannot blame the public for being curious. Our charter was arranged to do away with secret sessions knowingly and designedly, and any administration that ignores this fact will be advocating a very unpopular, undemocratic and dangerous measure.

It may be indeed that the publications of plans for a new high school, contagious hospital or other innovation would flood city hall with bids from real estate dealers. There is nothing undesirable in this. In fact, it is quite proper that the widest possible advertisement of such an intention were given, just as our supply department is supposed to provide for fair and open competition. The municipal council need never be afraid of action honestly and openly taken, but it has reason to avoid the secret session as something unpopular, undesirable and against the letter and spirit of the city charter.

ADVERTISING SIGNS

In the specific instance in which the city has withdrawn its intended action against a company that is about to erect an advertising sign, there may have been no other course open to the municipality; still, the episode should not be lost sight of until the law is amended or until a law is framed which would give the city authorities more power. It is decidedly wrong that any local or out of town concern has the power to come here and erect signs of any variety against the expressed will of the city. The withdrawal of the suit has established a very dangerous precedent, and some counter move is necessary if the rights of the public are to be safeguarded.

It is not in Lowell alone that a strong feeling has grown up against large and defacing advertising signs. Everywhere, the public is protesting and municipalities are seeking means to limit the erection of such signs or to make them conform to some code of regulations that will eliminate their most pernicious aspects. We may see, any day we go into our public streets, miserable little buildings right in the heart of our business districts, the owners of which get a good revenue from rented signs or bill boards that offend the eye, keep back property improvement, and make the streets most unlovely, and so long as these conditions are allowed to continue, it is useless to talk about city beautiful ideals. Occasionally one sees an advertising sign or collection of signs that ornament as well as advertise, but in most cases our bill boards and advertising signs are object lessons of the poorest taste.

Now it is alleged that there is no law which gives the city the right to stop the erection of some varieties of advertising signs, but the municipal council can frame an ordinance to prevent unsightly and dangerous signs in any part of the city. The sign evil has been allowed to go too far at the expense of the public welfare and safety.

FOR POLAND

One who walked through the public streets last Saturday and noted the great number of little Polish flags or tags that were worn by the masses must have realized that the appeal for aid was promptly and generously responded to. The American people have been accused of being a sordid and materialistic people but they have shown many times of late that they can always find sympathy in their hearts and money in their pockets when the cry for aid comes from any corner of the devastated earth. Belgium will always hold the spirit of the American people in high regard, and now it is most desirable that poor Poland should receive generous aid from the same quarter. Poland is one of the closest nations to us of all European nations, by the bond of her aspirations for liberty, her championing of the early American struggles, her admiration for our great men, her genius and her sufferings. She has sent us men and women who are among the finest of our immigrant strains, honest, industrious, liberty-loving and virtuous—a stock from which will spring great future Americans. Today she stands in need of aid as never before, and it is to be hoped that many who have not been approached will respond to her call. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the band of zealous workers last Saturday—Polish, for the most part,—made an excellent impression on the public by their sincerity, modesty and courteous activity.

INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT

Frank C. Tanner, who succeeded William Barnes as chairman of the republican state committee of New York last year, has issued a statement in which he condemns invisible government in New York, as revealed by the wonderful trial at Syracuse. He says—and who doubts it?—that at times neither the governor nor the legislature has been the real power in control of New York legislation, and he advocates plans to prevent a recurrence of such conditions. His remarks are applicable to all state government, to some extent. Briefly, his plans are to give the government more power, making him directly responsible to the public, and to do away with the many overlapping and conflicting powers of government now existing in certain quarters. The problem is a big one and it is not likely that reform can come all at once; but the Syracuse trial shows that all sincere men in politics and out have a grave and timely task on hand in the routing of evil influences that through graft, political chicanery and all the dubious methods of bossism and kindred ills make invisible government a menace to democracy.

Secretary Daniels is warming up. Smarting under continual and for the most part unjust criticism he now declares that one type of U. S. guns "will shoot farther, shoot straighter, and hit harder than any gun now in use or known to be designed by a foreign country." Bravo, Josh! Nothing of the battleship piffle about that.

The stores should not forget during this time of clean-up activity that clean sidewalks, shiny windows and attractive displays will help the cause along. It is most important to have cleanliness in the residential districts, but it is imperative that we have order and cleanliness in the business districts.

Washington reports optimism over the continued indications of business improvement. The increase is slow but is all the more sure for that reason. Still, it is but a prelude to coming prosperity, if Americans take advantage of their opportunities.

This is the best walking weather of the year. The roads are in good condition, the prospect is refreshing and spring throws its jewels in handfuls along the way. Look up, throw back the head and face the open fields. There, one finds not war but health and mental refreshment.

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THE INTRODUCTION

Some time ago an eminent speaker returned from a tour through the back counties, and gave a recital of his experiences to a few of his personal friends.

"Speaking of the inevitable chairman," smiled the orator, "I ran across one who was unique, indeed. Instead of making a speech about three hours long in introducing me, he——"

"I know," grinfully interjected one of his friends; "he just said: 'The orator of the evening,' and ducked."

"No, not exactly," responded the speaker. He said: 'I don't intend to stand here and bore you ladies and gentlemen, but will introduce Mr. Smith, who can do it a whole lot better.'"

SHIRT-SLEEVE GENERAL

It was in South Africa that General French earned the title of the "shirt-sleeve general"—a sobriquet that conveys a subtle compliment from "Tommy's point of view. Actually French was often to be seen walking about in camp during his heavy marches in shirt-sleeves, writes Mr. Cecil Chisholm, in his biography of Sir John French (Jenkins.)

One afternoon a correspondent rode up to the lines, and, seeing a soldier sitting on a bundle of hay, smoking a dilapidated looking old briar pipe, asked where the general was.

"The old man is somewhere about," coolly replied the soldier.

"Well, just hold my horse while I go and search for him."

"Certainly, sir," and the smoker rose obediently and took the bridle.

"Can you tell me where the general is?" inquired the correspondent of a staff officer farther down the line.

"Gen. French? Oh, he's somewhere about. Why, there he is, hold that horse's head!"

And the officer pointed directly to the smoker, still tranquilly pulling at his pipe and holding the horse. Needless to say, "Uncle French" and his men hugely enjoyed the correspondent's awakening.

HARD TO BE FUNNY

Charles Chaplin, known as the funniest man in the movies, frequently seen in the films in local theatres was unknown a little more than a year ago and today theatre patrons the whole world over are laughing at him. "Being funny is serious business," says Chaplin, "but if you take it seriously it's fatal. Sounds like a paradox doesn't it? Let me try and explain just what I mean. "It is the character itself you are attempting to portray that contains whatever bits of comedy you are going to succeed in 'getting over.' The peculiarities, idiosyncracies or peculiar situations in which you can place the character are innumerable. In consequence playing say a comedy barber role calls for very serious study of the character of a barber. The moment, however, you have drained dry the particular character you are studying you must drop all evidence of seriousness and proceed to act the part with such spontaneity that when the camera records your efforts it will appear as though each motion you have made was done on the spur of the moment. There must be realism in comedy. Coarse burlesque is no longer wanted. It is the deviation from the ordinary that makes the picture funny. Some little act that is unexpected and causes a surprise brings the laughs. But this act must be natural and in accordance with what the character might easily do in real life. If the action appears to be forced it merely appears absurd and fails to be funny."

LAW OF LARCENY

I noticed that Madge didn't speak to Lucille.
The chum of her heart, when they met on the street;
And my curious wonder I could not conceal.
So I asked: "Why this coolness when bosom friends meet?"

Said Madge: "I'd a kiss stolen from me last night.
By Harold Van Duser (of sinners the chief);
And later, Lucille took that kiss with delight—
I regard the receiver as worse than the thief."

—John W. Condon in Manchester Union

If Madge tells the truth, when Lucille "took that kiss"
From poor helpless Harold, it's our firm belief
Though it injure her pride and puncture her bliss,
She was not a receiver, but just a plain thief.

But ere we condemn her let's get at the facts:
She stole what was stolen before, we suppose.
Now what is the rule in regard to such acts?
"Second thief is best owner," the old saying goes.

—Rody McPhee in Springfield Union.

If the kiss is her property, Madge's we mean.
And one she could recognize plainly on sight.
We believe we could fix the whole case all serene.
Please Lucille and please Madge and please Harold, all right.

Have Lucille give the kiss back to Harold-ker-smack!
In the presence of Madge, to see it was the one;
Then, when he had got it, Madge might take it back,
Then all would be as 'er the trouble begun.

—Judd M. Lewis in Houston Post.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

HIGHER EDUCATION

It would seem that circumstances are tending toward free higher education. States may before long furnish free college instruction just as cities do free school instruction. The result may be fewer private schools, but it cannot be helped. Such schools would not, we should imagine, appeal as generally as the public grammar and high schools do. The number to whom higher education means something is limited. Instead of encouraging a college education for every boy and girl, there should be a call for the select few. There should be no wastage in free higher education.—Woonsocket Call.

THE EXPOSURES

The trial of the Barnes-Roosevelt libel suit continues to bring to public notice the inside of a number of political deals which have involved leaders of the republican and democratic parties in New York in the past. These disclosures would be a benefit if there were any likelihood that the exposure will prevent a recurrence of such things, but can anything prevent this so long as political parties are conducted as they have been and still are?—Newport News.

LYNN CLEAN-UP

"A stitch in time saves nine," says the proverb, and if the spirit of the saying is allowed to control the action of housekeepers, their premises will be far more pleasing in appearance than the ordinary back yard in the opening days of spring. Now that the city has undergone a regular spring cleaning, the thing to be done is to make its present condition permanent. Cleaning by instalments and at frequent intervals will relieve the necessity of such work as that which has engaged the attention of the people during the week now closing.—Lynn Item.

INFLOW OF WORKERS

That inflow of workmen from Europe that President Gompers would have the government restrict ought to be left to work itself out. If the workmen come to this country it will be because there is opportunity to work in this country—somebody wants to hire help. The man who wants to hire help ought to be allowed to. It means that more work will be done. More wages. More money spent in the stores. Greater prosperity.—Lewiston Sun.

NAVAL ACTIVITY

Vague rumors of new activity on the part of the German high seas fleet have not, so far, developed any real evidence of a departure from the waiting policy of the kaiser's navy. The reported shelling of Dunkirk is now said to have been conducted from a point some miles inland, not from warships. The German headquarters statement confirms this later view. The belief that naval lines are slackening is an apprehension rather than a discovery. The expectation of a great naval test has been strengthened, lately.—Brockton Times.

BOY MURDERED

Mutilated Body Was Found in Tenement Hallway, New York

NEW YORK, May 4.—Charles Murray, 4½ years old, was murdered last night near his home on the lower East Side by an unknown person. The child's mutilated body was found in the hallway of a tenement house not far from the scene of the recent murder of Leonore Cohen, aged 5.

The Cohen girl's body was found on March 15 last and, like that of the Murray boy, had been hacked with a knife. The murderer was never caught.

Charles Murray was seen playing in the yard back of his home last night 20 minutes before the crime was committed. A 6-year-old sister of the murdered boy gave the police a description of a foreigner who, she said, she saw hurry out of the hallway before the finding of the body.

As in the Cohen case, the murderer left no clue. The father of the boy stated that his son returned Sunday from a two days' visit to relatives in Brooklyn. He said members of his family had never been threatened.

A man who was accused by young girls of chasing them with a knife was taken into custody shortly before the body of the Murray boy was found.

GAS ON THE STOMACH

When colicky pains accompany the presence of gas on the stomach the need of a gentle laxative to clear away the offending food residue is imperative. If the condition of constipation is not quickly corrected a coated tongue, eruptions on the skin, headaches and backaches soon show that the poisons have found their way into the circulation.

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MOTORIST IN COURT

CHARGED WITH FAILING TO STOP WHEN PASSENGERS ON A STREET CAR WERE ALIGHTING

LAWRENCE, May 4.—Joseph F. Bertsch of Jamaica Plain was in the district court here yesterday before Judge Mahoney, charged with violating the automobile laws and the city ordinances. The case was continued until May 13. It is charged that the defendant failed to bring his machine to a stop when passengers were alighting from a street car and also failed to keep on the right side of the street and as near the curbing as possible.

William Anderson of 98 Osgood street and George Towler of North Andover were struck Saturday night by Bertsch's car in front of the Bay State street railway transfer station, but escaped with minor injuries.

COBURN MISSION

A feature of the annual meeting of the Coburn Mission Sunday school, which was held at the mission in Varnum avenue, was the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Superintendent, Carl H. Palm; assistant superintendent, Henry Palm; secretary, Ralph Tewksbury; assistant secretary, Hazel Milliken; treasurer, Percy Edwards; assistant treasurer, Anna P. Marshall; librarian, Harold Fall; assistant librarian, Olga Boudry; prayer meeting committee, chairman, Olive Palm, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Milliken, E. Louise Field; social committee, chairman, Mrs. C. Boudry, Olive Palm; flower committee, chairman, Edna Palm, Rae Clark, Olga Boudry; calling committee, chairman, Carl H. Palm, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Miller; building committee, chairman, Arnold B. Marshall, J. Hoyle, Henry Palm; library committee, chairman, Louise Field, Mr. Boudry, Anna P. Marshall; auditing committee, chairman, Herbert Palm, Mrs. Arnold B. Marshall; press committee, chairman, Henry Palm, Arnold Marshall.

TUFTS EXPERT'S BILL CUT

Judge Reduces Sum Given Dr. A. W. Balch for Service at Worcester Murder Trial to $225

WORCESTER, May 4.—Dr. Alfred W. Balch of Tufts medical school, who served as blood expert for the defense in the trial of Felix Vadenais, Jr., of Manchaug on charge of murder of Joseph S. Goldberg, is allowed $225 for his services by Judge Sanderson who presided.

Dr. Balch presented a bill for $275, including $150 for three days' laboratory work.

The court has allowed the bill of $500 of Dr. W. F. Whitney of Harvard Medical school, blood expert for the government.

CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, May 4—Congressional investigation of the appointment of Chas. N. Nagel, former secretary of commerce and labor, as neutral member of the arbitration board which settled the wage dispute of engineers and firemen on 98 western railroads was demanded in a resolution adopted last night by delegates representing the men's organizations.

Such an investigation is necessary the resolution asserted, if further controversies between labor and capital are to be adjusted amicably.

AVIATOR MAYES KILLED

EL PASO, Texas, May 4.—Jack Mayes, a San Francisco aviator, was killed yesterday at Aguascallentes in making a test flight of one of the aeroplanes purchased for the Villa army, according to a telegram reaching here yesterday.

The message said Mayes was flying at the rate of sixty miles an hour when his biplane struck a building, crushing the aviator's head and shoulders.

AVERT STRIKE OF CLERKS

Mission of U. S. Mediators Proves Successful at New Haven—Differences Due to Promotion Plan

HARTFORD, Conn., May 4.—A strike among the freight clerks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has been averted, it was learned here yesterday, through the mediation of two men sent here recently from Washington by the department of labor.

The men were Clifton Reeves and Patrick Gilday. They spent several days in Hartford and in New Haven and returned to Washington Sunday.

They had a conference with E. G. Stearns of New Haven, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Freight Clerks, and Mr. Stearns was quoted yesterday as saying that, while there were differences between the men and the company, there would be no strike now.

Details of the trouble were refused, but it is understood that it had to do with the plan followed in making promotions, it being claimed that the men promoted do not receive the same salaries as those whose places they take.

Last Friday, when it was announced in Washington that the two mediators had been named, Pres. Elliott of the New Haven gave out a statement saying he knew of no trouble between the road and its employes.

TO JOIN RED CROSS IN SERBIA

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—Six Brown men last night signified their intention of joining the American Red Cross in Serbia where a campaign against the ravages of typhus fever is being conducted. The men will leave for Serbia May 13, at which time a contingent from several universities will be sent.

The men are as follows: Graduate student, Lowell C. Kendrick, of this city; senior, Homer E. Van Derwerken of Middle Granville, N. Y.; juniors, Paul L. Russell of White Plains, N. Y., Harold G. Sucton of Brockton, Mass., and Henry L. Cohen of this city; sophomore, Isaac Y. Olch of this city.

WILL APPEAL SHOE DECISION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Attorney-General Gregory yesterday decided to appeal to the supreme court the antitrust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company, recently dismissed by a federal court at Boston.

Appeal will be taken under the expediting act, and the attorney-general will ask for a writ of error. Arguments will be made at the fall term of court, if possible. Mr. Gregory looks upon this case as one of the most important now in the court involving the Sherman anti-trust act.

The department is considering bringing in the near future an additional proceeding against the shoe company under the Clayton anti-trust act, which forbids "tying contracts" such as the government alleges this company has used in dealing with competitors.

PAY HONOR TO PRES. SHUMAN

BOSTON, May 4.—A. Shuman was tendered a complimentary luncheon at the City club yesterday noon following his election for the 25th term as president of the board of trustees of the Boston City hospital. Mr. Shuman is now serving his 30th term as a member of the board. Following the luncheon, Mr. Shuman reviewed at considerable length the work being done at the City hospital and the hopes that he had for its future success. He also expressed pleasure at the possibilities laid open to the trustees through the taking over of the West Roxbury Parental school buildings.

Joseph P. Manning was elected secretary for a fourth term.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE

The regular meeting of the members of Tewksbury grange will be held in Vestry hall, Centre village, this evening and the public is cordially invited. The subject of discussion will be "Education."

KEITH'S THEATRE

Crowded houses should prevail at all performances at Keith's theatre this week, for the program there is one of the best ever given in this city. All acts are of the top notch variety and each is sufficiently classy to be styled as a headliner. The audience last night was very large and that those present enjoyed the program was attested by the applause that greeted each and every number.

One of the most novel offerings seen here in many moons is "The Fashion Shop." The feature is one that is bound to please even the most fastidious theatre goer. Hugo Jansen is a real designer of women's garb, and he demonstrates during the time that he is before the footlights just how to adjust yards of material to the figures of the four young women who assist him in his number to bring attractive results. Jansen works with pins and deft fingers, and the remarkable gowns that are so made up would cause the spectator to believe that he were at an extensive gown shop.

Of course, the gowns were draped around experienced demonstrators, but nevertheless the expeditious manner in which the work is carried out by Mr. Jansen stamps him as a wonder at the game.

He takes a few yards of cloth, throws it around the model, and in a shorter time than it takes to tell it you are confronted with a woman all dressed for a ball.

Altogether six dresses are fashioned, each entirely distinctive, and on the final three days of the week Jansen will change his program of gown creating entirely, and will advance a half dozen of new models.

A pleasing comedy story is included in the feature, and this adds greatly to its successful presentation. Blanche Latell appears as the farmer's daughter, "Neuralgia," and Earl Corr, an experienced funny man, is seen to advantage as "Hiram Corncob," who is on a tour of sightseeing in New York. Maida Burker, as the principal model sings and dances cleverly.

Five young women designated as the Five Violin Beauties contribute a very pleasing number. Included in the quintet is Miss Ethel Sharrow of Lowell whose ability is well known to Lowellites. At last night's show she was given an ovation. The girls play, dance and sing, and do all excellently. Their final number shows them appearing in costumes of various nationalities and playing melodies suggestive of those nationalities. Daphne Lewis made an attractive Scotch lassie, and Mazichelle Valeta was a rollicking Dutch fraulein, while Miss Sharrow, dancing an Irish jig inimitably, was a real hit as a colleen from the Emerald Isle. Miriam Glover played a hot-blooded Spanish number, and looked the senorita from Spain, while little Miss Anderson wound up the review as a harem beauty.

A voice usually heard at a grand opera performance emanated from behind the wings of the stage last night and sweetly floated over the theatre and all prepared to look upon the prima donna who finally appears and to the surprise of all, the owner of the sweet voice is a mere man. The act is labelled Milo—?—but there is no question about the ability of the performer. He possesses a beautiful voice and knows how to use it to the best possible advantage.

A very clever little comedy entitled "The Fixer," is also on the bill. It shows the woman editor of a country newspaper, the corrupt mayor of a backwoods burg, the omnipresent printer's devil, and the advance man of a circus engaged in a tangle, which only ends when the advance man—the fixer—hands a sockdologer to the mayor and decides that he will settle down in a small town, and take unto himself a bride. Walter D. Nealand, is all that would be desired as the fixer, and Miss Marion Buell is adequate as the woman editor, while William Hewatt furnishes considerable good comedy as the devil.

Hilton and Roberts furnish a good number, replete with fun and laughter and Marcus and Clements give several grand opera numbers that please immensely. The musical chef, the opening number, and the Hearst-Selig pictures are very good. The football game, last fall, between the teams of St. John's academy, Danvers, and St. Vincent de Paul's team, of the Middle West, is bound to arouse enthusiasm.

Good seats may be obtained in advance at the box office. The telephone number is 23.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Ranch life in California in the early days is beautifully and powerfully portrayed in "The Rose of the Rancho" showing at the Academy of Music today and tomorrow. Another feature on the program is a two-reel episode in "The Black Box" mystery serial. Two other high class pictures, one a stirring drama in two parts, and the other a sparkling comedy film, complete an entertaining performance.

THE OWL THEATRE

Nance O'Neil, the idol of Lowell, a former resident of our city, and a world-famous tragedienne attracted record-breaking crowds at the Owl theatre yesterday. She was starred as Miriam in "The Kreutzer Sonata," a famous play written by the celebrated Count Leo Tolstoi. This production is the most dramatic film portrayal ever seen in Lowell. It is a maelstrom of emotion in which Miss O'Neil is seen to her greatest advantage. Her acting is a marvel of the art of expression. They may hire actresses from far away, but the American actress is the nearest to the heart of the public as was shown yesterday. Five other films complete a great show. It will be repeated today. Coming Wednesday and Thursday, "The Pit," with Wilton Lackaye, the play which he made famous on the stage.

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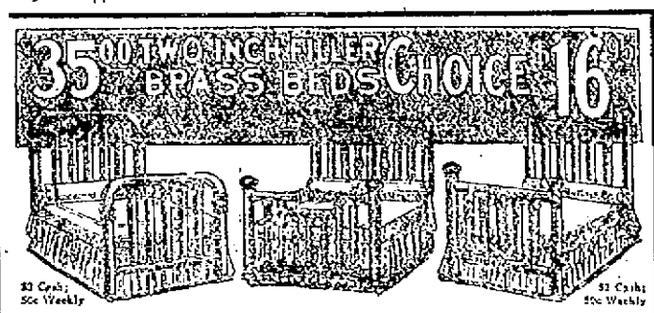

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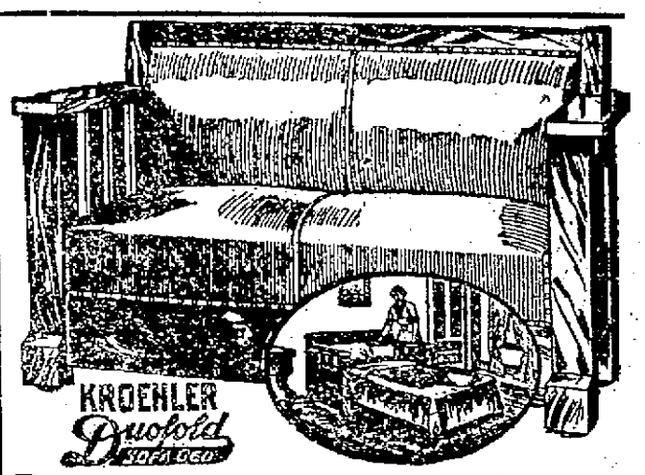

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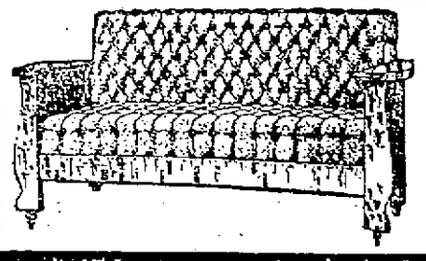

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80 Stamps with one large can A&P Baking Powder..... 50c
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20 Stamps with large Bot. of A&P Grape Juice..... 20c
15 Stamps with 1 can A&P Tomatoes 15c
10 Stamps with 2 boxes Bull Frog Shoe Polish, each..... 5c
10 Stamps with 1 box "2 in 1" Shoe Polish..... 10c
10 Stamps with 2 pkgs. Rex or La France Laundry Tablets, each 5c

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Dancing Every Tues., Wed. and Fri. Evenings. Dunfey's Orchestra

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Today, Tomorrow and Wednesday,
THE THIRD COMMANDMENT
Thou shall not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain.
"THE RIGHT GIRL"
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ALL THIS WEEK
Best Show of the Season
Hugo Jansen
Europe's Famous Fashion Designer Presents
"THE FASHION SHOP"
With Blanche Latell and Ed. Corr and a
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Six Real Girls
THE VIOLIN BEAUTIES
Featuring Miss Ethel Sharrow of This City.
MILO?
—OTHER FEATURE ACTS—

MURDER CHARGE

Witnesses Say Wife Said, "I Killed My Husband With Stick

WISCASSET, Me., May 4.—"I killed my husband. I had been playing on the organ and went out and picked up a stick of wood and I struck him on the head. He never breathed nor moved afterward."

Edwin and Byron French, prominent citizens of Somerville, will testify that this statement was made voluntarily to them several days after the death of Fred T. Hisler at Somerville on Feb. 7, by his wife who was placed on trial in the supreme court today for the charge of murder, according to the opening address by County Attorney James B. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor.

Attorney Perkins also said he would attempt to prove that Mrs. Hisler had admitted her guilt to other persons and that she previously had threatened to take her husband's life by "beating out his brains" and by "cutting his heart out." The state contends that the alleged motive was jealousy. Mrs. Hisler is past 50. Her husband was about 30.

The state will try to show that she told conflicting stories about the circumstances of his death, first stating he was taken sick out of doors and entered the house, then saying that he became ill while in the house.

Except for two abrasions on the right temple nothing was found at the autopsy to indicate the cause of death, nor was there any trace of poison revealed by an anaylsis of the contents of the stomach and kidneys at Bowdoin college, according to the county attorney.

Three of the 12 witnesse called by the state had been examined when the noon recess was taken. The trial probably will not be finished before Thursday.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

sion concerning participation in the war. Rome despatches say that new offers have been presented on behalf of Austria in an effort to satisfy Italy's territorial demands.

King Victor Emmanuel's decision not to attend the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument is regarded as indicating that no warlike action will be taken in the immediate future, for it was the opinion in Rome that his presence on this occasion would have been equivalent to a declaration of war on Austria. Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador is credited with having averted a crisis by presenting the new offers.

Information from Vienna which the Austrian military authorities are now willing to have known shows that the sudden attack on the Russians in western Galicia was the result of an elaborate plan made by the German and Austrian military chiefs several weeks ago. A large army of fresh Austrian and German troops was concentrated before Cracow for the attack.

German Claims Exaggerated

Unofficial advices from Russian sources assert that the German claims of victory are exaggerated, although it is admitted the movement was an important one. The Russian war office has had little to say concerning this situation further than to state that violent fighing has taken place. A London despatch concedes that if it is true the Russian front has been pierced the war will be prolonged greatly.

Austrians Attack Montenegrins

Simultaneously with the new attack on the Russian front Austria has resumed operations against Montenegro, after a lull over the greater part of the winter. An official Montenegrin statement says Austrian attacks all along the front were repulsed. At Berlin it is said a new Austrian army has been prepared to resume the campaign against Serbia.

Fighting in Dardanelles

Little news comes from the Dardanelles. One unofficial despatch says fierce fighting is proceeding day and night. It is reported the Turks have suffered heavily and that their most important defenses are now invested, but such reports as come from Constantinople continue to present an optimistic view of the situation.

BRITISH STEAMER MINTERNE TORPEDOED OFF THE SCILLY ISLANDS

LONDON, May 4.—The British steamer Minterne, from Cardiff for the river Platt, with 6000 tons of coal was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands Monday. Two firemen were killed and the second engineer was injured. The wounded man and the remainder of the crew have been landed at Penzance.

The striking of the torpedo was the first intimation that a submarine was in the neighborhood. The crew took to their boats and were rescued by fishing vessels.

The Minterne was of 1905 tons net and was 330 feet long. She was built in 1903 and owned in London.

NINE VESSELS TORPEDOED BY GERMAN SUBMARINES IN THREE DAYS

Nine steamships, five of them of neutral registry, and four trawlers, a total of 13 vessels, have been torpedoed by German submarines in the last three days, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Of the neutral ships, three were Norwegian, one Swedish and one American. All four trawlers were British owned.

The list is as follows:

Svorono, Russian, 2000 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the west coast of Ireland.

Edale, British, 3110 tons, torpedoed on Saturday, locality unknown.

Europe, French, 2899 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the Scilly Islands.

Fulgent, British, 1202 tons, torpedoed off Skelling rocks on Saturday. One lifeboat known to have been filled with men missing.

Laila, Norwegian, 753 tons, torpedoed on Saturday in the North sea.

British trawler destroyed on Sunday, name and scene of attack unknown.

Gulflight, American, 2202 tons, torpedoed on Sunday off the Scilly Islands. Two sailors drowned, and the captain dead from heart failure.

Sunray, British trawler, torpedoed on Sunday 60 miles northeast of the Tyne.

Ellide, Swedish, 694 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

America, Norwegian, 3830 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Baldwin, Norwegian 1130 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Mercury, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

Mark Ban, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

AUSTRIAN ADVANCE AT CIEZKOWICE IN THE CARPATHIANS CHECKED

LONDON, May 4.—A Petrograd despatch to the Times dated Monday says:

"The Austrian advance at Ciezkowice in the Carpathians, although checked is deemed to be highly sympatomatic. Ciezkowice is situated on the Donajec near Gorlice and Tarnow on the roads from Tymbark to Cracow and the enemy's movements here are of no less importance than at Stry and other sections of our front.

"The Austrians have concentrated here very considerable and entirely fresh reinforcements from the interior. Their advance was facilitated by the open character of the terrain, which is admirably adapted to fighting. The enemy set himself the task not only of dislodging us from the line of the Donajec but of influencing our position on the lower Nida."

REPORTED RUSSIAN DEFEAT TOOK PRECEDENCE OVER OTHER NEWS

LONDON, May 4.—The reported Russian reverse in western Galicia took precedence over all other phases of the war today and even overshadowed discussion of the forthcoming budget. Striking an average between Austrian and German accounts London newspapers agree that the Russians must have been pushed back a considerable distance along this front, which runs north and south a distance of about 60 miles from the Carpathians above Bartfeld to the junction of the Dunajec and Vistula rivers on the border of Russian Poland.

Petrograd expresses little concern over the situation, although admitting that the Austro-German forces are making strong attacks along the front on which they claim a great victory.

German official advices concerning operations on the western front confirm the French and British reports of attacks by the invaders on St. Julien, but nothing is said about the assertion of the allies that hill number 80 is again the object of the German offensive.

No further official news has been received from the allies concerning the Dardanelles operations, but publication of a long list of casualties gives ample evidence of the stubborn opposition with which the Turks met the landing of troops.

Russia is again co-operating in the attack on Constantinople by renewing bombardment of the Bosphorus forts.

Italy is occupying the center of the diplomatic stage, but there is little in the way of authentic news from Rome. Latest information is that negotiations between Italy and Austria after being broken off as the result of a deadlock have once more been resumed.

The crisis in the Chino-Japanese negotiations is attracting much attention here. The press discusses the controversy with reserve, although this attitude does not conceal the fact that there is considerable uneasiness over the situation in the far east.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE OFF GALLOPER LIGHTSHIP

BERLIN, May 4.—The German admiralty has issued an announcement setting forth that on May 1 a German submarine sunk the British torpedoboat destroyer Recruit in the neighborhood of the Galloper lightship.

On the same day near the North

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CITY HALL NEWS

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Light Corporation for pole locations and conduits in connection with the white way, were slated for a hearing May 18.

The petition of Rev. Charles J. Galligan for the relocation of an electric light in Stevens street was ordered for a hearing May 18.

Claims for personal injuries were referred as were minor petitions having to do with lights, streets and sidewalks.

Relocation of Tracks

The order for the relocation of the tracks of the street railway company in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets was read and adopted.

A report relative to a sewer in Upham street was read and the order providing for it was adopted.

An order to change a portion of the lines in Rogers and Fairmount streets and widen said streets was adopted.

An order for the seizure of land at the corner of Rogers and Nesmith streets, to facilitate travel, the property of the William Spalding heirs, was adopted.

An order for the abatement of a sidewalk assessment at 55 Starbird street, amounting to $21.78, was adopted.

The petition of Margaret F. Carney for a sidewalk in Pine street took the usual course.

Commissioner Putnam was authorized to pay Charles P. Conant $400, and Ira P. Hersey, $200 in connection with fire loss adjustment at Memorial hall.

The Sign Question

George W. Morrison appeared before the council for the purpose of urging the advisability of making awning companies and persons who make a business of erecting signs give the city a bond of $1000 and supply liability accident insurance.

Mr. Morrison thought that if a person was injured by a falling sign in the street the city would be liable, but Mayor Murphy and Commissioners Duncan and Carmichael did not quite agree with him. They allowed the city would not be held responsible unless the case was one where a sign had been in a dangerous condition sufficiently long for the authorities to have had knowledge of the fact.

Commissioner Duncan said that an ordinance covering signs had been in effect here for years, but the trouble is it hasn't been enforced.

Mr. Morrison said that Boston decorators and sign men could come here and do what they wanted; swing a sign in any old shape or put it in any old place, but former Commissioner Cummings, who was seated at the reporters' table took exception to the statement.

"They are not allowed to do anything they want, because I stopped them. I required all of them to have permits," said Mr. Cummings.

Paving Block Contracts

The mayor read a communication from Louis P. Palmer & Sons relative to paving blocks and objecting to the treatment given him, especially because of the fact that he had 6000 linear feet of edgestones out of a contract for about 10,000 feet left on his hands, and understood that a contract for edgestones had been recently made with another concern.

The communication rather roiled Charlie Morse who said he would take Palmer & Sons' edgestones off their hands, but he suggested that he didn't want to be interfered with by every Tom, Dick and Harry.

Approval of Contracts

The council did not approve the contract executed by the purchasing agent and the H. E. Fletcher Co., of West Chelmsford for 10,000 feet, more or less, of granite edgestones, and 500 feet, more or less of circle stone; the contract referred to in the Palmer communication.

Contracts approved included one with Edward Cawley for the furnishing of a supply of vitrified sewer pipe; the Franklin Forestry company of Boston for 15,000 white pine trees, three-year transplants on a lot of land on Pawtucket boulevard. The contracts for Portland cement, the alleged award of which was objected to by Mr. Cawley, was productive of some discussion. The contracts as prepared by the purchasing agent with E. A. Wilson & Co., for 500 barrels and Daniel T. Sullivan for 5500 barrels, was before the council. Com. Carmichael suggested that new specifications be drawn up. "Mr. Cawley," said Mr. Carmichael, "states that he will furnish the cement asked for, and in his proposal he agrees to furnish it according to the specifications. His bid is more than $1200 less than contemporary bidders."

City Solicitor Hennessey was called in and said that in his opinion, Mr. Cawley did not live up to the spirit and letter of the specifications.

Commissioner Duncan said that in order for Mr. Cawley to keep within his proposal he would have to deliver either one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

It was shown by the records that in 1913 D. T. Sullivan neglected to mention a particular brand of cement and that his bid was thrown out in favor of Mr. Cawley, the latter being granted the contract.

Mayor Murphy said that what Mr. Cawley was willing to do now, had nothing to do with the question. "Has he adhered to the specifications? That said the mayor, is the question."

Purchasing Agent Foye

Purchasing Agent Foye had made a statement in defense of his own position as attacked, he said, by an advertisement appearing in a morning paper, signed by Mr. Cawley, and addressed to the public.

Mr. Foye explained that five brands of Portland cement had been named in the specifications and that Mr. Cawley did not mention any one of the five brands in his bid, but simply mentioned Portland cement. "I consulted with the city solicitor," said Mr. Foye, "and he told me he thought if the contract was awarded Mr. Cawley it would be impossible to exact from him any one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

"It was immaterial to me as to whom the contract would be awarded, but it was my duty to protect the city's interests. There was no drive against Mr. Cawley as one might gather by reading the advertisement in the morning paper. He has been bidding on similar contracts for a great many years and he knows what is required."

Mr. Morse—"The city solicitor drew up the contract?"

"Yes Sir."

"Was the contract drawn the same as in former years?" asked Mr. Duncan, and Mr. Foye said it was.

"Mr. Cawley specified no particular brand?" queried Mr. Carmichael.

"No—Nothing more than Portland cement," said Mr. Foye.

Mr. Carmichael then read a portion of Mr. Cawley's communication in which it was stated that he, Mr. Cawley, had gone over the specifications carefully and would supply the kind of cement called for, in all respects.

"What do you think about it, Mr. Mayor?" asked Mr. Carmichael.

"I think he did not bid according to specifications," said the mayor.

Mr. Carmichael—"The best way is to get their bids on every brand."

Mr. Morse—"I can object to any and all bids—the whole business."

Mayor Murphy—"Yes—and now is the time to do it."

Mr. Carmichael—"Do you really know the kind you want?"

Mr. Morse—"I certainly do."

The Mayor—"It is up to you."

Mr. Morse—"I can take Lehigh for streets and object to the sewer contracts."

Mr. Duncan—"Mr. Morse wants the option of saying what kind of five brands he shall have.

Mr. Morse—"I don't believe in throwing out bids. That is all boys' play to me. These men are all in good standing, Cawley, Sullivan, Wilson and the whole bunch of them."

Mr. Carmichael—"I do not think that the purchasing agent is to blame at all. He was governed by the requisition."

Mr. Morse finally objected to E. A. Wilson & Company's bid for 500 barrels of cement for sewers, and the D. T. Sullivan bid for 5500 barrels for streets was approved by the council in accordance with the approval of the commissioner of streets, Commissioner Carmichael voting against.

Mr. Morse said he accepted Mr. Sullivan's bid because he bid on Lehigh, Mr. Wilson having bid on Saylor.

Removal of Posts

The mayor read a report by the city engineer relative to the poles, stone posts and barber signs to be removed in the white way district. The report was accepted and the council voted to remove the poles and stone posts, the barber signs to be considered at some future date.

Lunch Cart License

A communication from the city engineer relative to the removal of a cellar in Livingston street was placed on file.

The petition of Abraham L. Riddick for a lunch cart license in Dutton street was granted.

Paving Block Contract

When it came to the supposed final consideration of the paving block contract on which Frank Mallorey was given a hearing on a protest filed by him some time ago, it looked for a few minutes as if Commissioner Morse and Mr. Mallorey were going to enter a personal encounter.

Mr. Mallorey was sitting in the background and it was the last of his thoughts, he said, that he would be pulled into the meeting. He was counting the lights on the jolly chandelier when the breath of spring brought Charlie's words his way and Frank cocked his ear to be sure that he heard aright. Mr. Morse had said that Mr. Mallorey had come to him once upon a time for a job and that he wanted $4 a day for the work which he wanted to pick out for himself.

Charlie just finished with the $4 a day statement when Frank leaped from his seat and with threatening hand o'er Charlie's head denied the soft impeachment. It was a serious moment, and when Charlie rose from his chair to face the man who was calling to him to tell the truth, it looked as if there would be something doing, but it ended in a war of words; Mr. Mallorey denying that he had ever asked Mr. Morse for a job at $4 a day, and Mr. Morse contending that the memory of it was as fresh as though it happened yesterday.

"Tell the truth," said Frank, as the mayor rapped for order.

"God Almighty, Frank, you tell the truth," shouted Charlie, and the row was all over.

"Let us get down to business," said the mayor, as he took up the contract in question. Immediately he discovered that it did not have the proper endorsement and on his motion it was laid on the table till the next meeting.

Adjourned at 2.15.

Clean Up Week
LAWN RAKES, 50c
ERVIN E. SMITH COMPANY
43-45-47-49 Market Street

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75¼	73⅛	73¾
Am Beet Sugar	48⅝	47½	48¼
Am Can	41¾	39⅛	41
Am Can pf	99¼	99	99¼
Am Car & Fn	56¾	55⅛	55¼
Am Car & Fn pf	116	116	116
Am Cot Oil	61½	50	50¾
Am Hide & L pf	35½	34⅝	35½
Am Locomo	56	52½	53
Am Locomo pf	98	98	98
Am Smelt & R	72½	71¾	72
Am Smelt & R pf	108	108	108
Am Sugar Rfn	111	110¼	111
Amaconda	36	35	35⅞
Atchison	102⅛	101	101¾
Atchison pf	100	100	100
Balt & Ohio	76¼	75½	76¼
Balt & Ohio pf	71¾	71	71
Br Rap Tran	90	89⅝	90
Canadian Pa	163¾	161	162½
Cent Leather	40⅝	39½	40¼
Cent Leather pf	103	103	103
Ches & Ohio	46¼	46	46¼
Chi & Gt W	12¾	12½	12¾
Col Fuel	32	31	31¼
Consol Gas	130¾	129½	129½
Del & Hud	151	151	151
Den & Rio G pf	15	15	15
Dis Secur Co	15	14⅝	14⅝
Erie	28⅝	27¾	28
Erie 1st pf	42¾	41	43½
Erie 2d pf	36	35¾	36
Gen Elec	157½	156¼	157½
Gt North pf	120⅞	120¼	120½
Gt N Ore ctf	36¾	36	36⅝
Illinois Cen	110	110	110
Int Met Com	22¼	21¾	22
Int Met Com pf	72¾	71¼	72¼
Int Paper pf	40	40	40
In S Pump Co	6¾	6¾	6¾
Kan City So	27¼	26¾	27¾
Kan City So pf	59½	58¾	59½
Kan & Texas	13½	13⅛	13½
Lehigh Valley	143½	142⅝	143
Missouri Pa	15¼	14¾	15
Nat Lead	68¼	64⅛	66¾
N Y Air Brake	95¾	92	94
N Y Central	89⅞	88½	89
Nor & West	105	105	105
No Am Co	77	77	77
North Pacific	109¼	108	108¾
Ont & West	32¾	31½	32½
Pennsylvania	108⅞	108	108⅝
Pressed Steel	51	46	49
Ry St Sp Co	36	35	35⅝
Reading	149½	148¼	148⅞
Rep Iron & S	30½	29¾	30
St. Paul	94⅞	93½	93¾
So Pacific	92½	91½	91⅞
Southern Ry	18¾	18	18⅝
Southern Ry pf	57	57	57
Tenn Copper	34	32¾	34
Texas Pac	16½	16½	16½
Third Ave	53½	53	53½
Union Pacific	131¼	129½	130
Union Pac pf	81¾	81¾	81¾
U S Rub	69⅞	68	68¾
U S Rub pf	107½	107½	107½
U S Steel	59¾	57⅞	58½
U S Steel pf	108¾	108½	108½
U S Steel 5s	102½	102¼	102¼
Utah Copper	67⅞	65¼	66½
Wabash R R	1¾	1⅝	1¾
Wab R R pf	2¾	2½	2½
Westinghouse	103⅞	57⅞	101½
Western Un	69⅛	68	69

WAR SPECIALTIES FELL

TRADING LIGHT DURING MORNING—UPWARD TENDENCY AFTER NOON HOUR

NEW YORK, May 4.—War specialties fell back again at the outset of today's trading, Pressed Steel losing 6½ points with declines of one to almost two points in General Electric, Am. Locomotive, Baldwin Loco and National Lead. U. S. Steel yielded half a point on heavy offerings. Standard railroads were mostly lower while minor stocks of that class made slight gains. Coppers were variable. There were partial recoveries before the end of the first half hour.

Trading was relatively light in the morning hours and became increasingly dull toward midday when representative shares showed general gains. Canadian Pacific recovered part of yesterday's loss and Rock Island was higher, presumably in connection with latest developments affecting that property. Industrials and the miscellaneous group presented a mixture of losses and gains, motor issues being especially strong.

The more pronounced upward tendency of the early afternoon was led by such favorites as Penna. and U. S. Steel and others of the same group. These rose from one to almost two points.

With the exception of Westinghouse, prices eased in the final dealings. Studebaker yielded five points in declaration of an initial dividend of 1¼ per cent. The closing was irregular.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 4.—Weakness in Zinc stocks and United Shoe was the feature of the opening sales on the stock exchange today. American Zinc broke to 40 1-2 in the first half-hour. Copper shares were easy, but Calumet & Hecla continued downward, reaching 550, a decline of 80 points in a week.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 4. Cotton futures opened steady. May 9.60; July 9.80; Aug. 9.95; Oct. 10.13; Dec. 10.39; Jan. 10.44; March 10.67.

The close was steady. May 9.76; July 10.06 Oct. 10.35; Dec. 10.58; Jan. 10.63; March 10.83.

Spot quiet. Middling 10.30.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 4.—Mercantile paper, 3½ and ¾. Sterling exchange, steady; 60 day bills, 4.7650; for cables, 4.7975; for demand, 4.7925. Bar silver, 50⅛. Mexican dollars, 38⅜. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans, easy; 60 and 90 days, 2½ and ¾; six months, 3¼ and ½.

Call money, steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	182	182	182
Boston Elevated	82	82	82
Bos & Maine	37	35	35¾
Fitchburg pf	69¾	69¼	69¼
N Y & N H	68¾	66½	67¼
MINING			
Adventure	2¾	2½	2½
Alaska Gold	37¼	35⅝	37¼
Algomah	3¼	3	3¼
Allouez	54	52	53½
American zinc	43⅛	40⅝	43
Arcadian	10½	9⅞	10⅛
Ariz Com	7½	6⅞	7¼
Butte & Superior	68½	65	68
Cal & Ariz	70	68¾	70
Cal & Hecla	570	550	570
Centennial	21¼	20½	21⅛
Chino	46¾	44	46
Copper Range	56½	54	56½
Daly-West	3	3	3
E Butte	13¼	12½	13
Franklin	11¾	10½	11⅛
Granby	85	82	85
Greene-Cananea	31⅞	30	31⅞
Hancock	22	20	21
Indiana	8½	8	8⅜
Isle Royale	28	27	28
Kerr Lake	5	5	5
Lake	14¼	13	14
La Salle	7	6½	7
Mass	12⅞	12	12½
Maydower	6	5¾	5¾
Miami	26¼	25½	26
Mohawk	74	70	73⅛
Nevada	15¾	14⅞	15¼
Nipissing	6⅛	6¼	6⅛
North Butte	34⅞	33¼	34¼
No. Lake	3	3	3
Old Colony	5	5	5
Old Dominion	53½	51½	53½
Osceola	84	82	84
Quincy	86½	81	84
Ray Con	23¾	22¾	23⅜
Santa Fe	2¼	2¼	2¼
Shannon	9	8⅝	8
Superior	34¼	33⅝	33¾
Superior & Boston	4	3⅞	3⅞
Tamarack	35¾	33½	35½
Trinity	6	6	6
U S Smelting	35⅝	34½	35¼
U S Smelting pf	46¾	46¼	46½
Utah-Apex	3⅝	3⅜	3⅛
Utah Cons	13	12½	12¾
Wolverine	62¾	61	62½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	122⅞	122	122½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem pf	92½	92½	92½
Am Pneu pf	16	16	16
Am Woolen pf	88	87½	87½
Mass Elec	6½	6½	6½
Mass Elec pf	41¾	41¾	41¾
Mass Gas	82¼	82¼	82¼
Pond Creek	16	16	16
Swift & Co	109¼	109	109¼
United Fruit	140½	140	140½
United Sh M	61½	59⅞	60⅞

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE

Continued

instructed him to produce forthwith records showing the appointment and designation of the Albany Journal as the "state paper" for the years 1895 and 1914 inclusive and affidavits of publication of printing required by law to be done in the "state paper."

Mr. Ivins objected to the evidence on the ground that it was immaterial but Mr. Bowers called the attention of the court to the fact that Mr. Barnes wrote to Colonel Roosevelt that the establishment of a state printing house would be disastrous to him financially and that a witness had sworn that there was but one job press in the plant of the Journal company. The court ruled against Mr. Ivins.

Public Printing

Mr. Hancock then continued reading records showing that successful bidders for public printing in Albany had made a practice of assigning their contracts to the larger printing concerns there principally the J. B. Lyon Co. or men connected with it.

Other records were produced which purported to show that the Lyon company was awarded contracts for printing when it was not the lowest bidder. Figures compiled by the witness showed that each year for many years since 1899 the state paid for legislative and departmental work a total of more than seven millions of dollars on contracts, and a large sum which he said he could not compute upon orders for additional printing. Nearly all the work done under contract was, according to the testimony, done by the J. B. Lyon company.

Platt Recalled

After a brief cross-examination the witness was excused and Mr. Platt was recalled to the stand. He said that from 1899 to 1905 his father appeared to have received 134 letters from Mr. Barnes. He then produced the letters selected by the Roosevelt attorneys from the mass of correspondence he brought to court in answer to a subpoena. There were seven from Mr. Roosevelt.

AN ULTIMATUM

Elder Statesmen Approve of Sending Note to China

TOKIO, May 4.—The Yomiuri in an extra edition declares that the elder statesmen after listening to lengthy explanations from Premier Okuma and Foreign Minister Kato have approved a project to send an ultimatum to China.

The information reaching Japan, this paper says, leads to the conviction that the nature of the last Chinese answer obliges Japan to resort to this logical diplomatic step.

Continuing, the Yomiuri says that the concessions made by Japan, particularly the restoration of Kiao-Chow to China, had created the belief that China was satisfied and that the matter would be arranged peacefully. There is an impression now that Yuan Shi-Kai, president of China, desires an ultimatum in order to justify China's eventual acceptance.

According to the Hochi Shimbun martial law will be proclaimed in South Manchuria simultaneously with the issuance of the ultimatum.

A UNIQUE PROPOSITION

MASTER CARPENTERS' ASSOCIATION SUBMITS AGREEMENT TO SETTLE STRIKE IN HAVERHILL

HAVERHILL, May 4.—In insisting today upon submitting the new agreement of the carpenters' union to the consumers in the local labor bodies with the understanding that if the contractors are called upon to pay more for their labor the public will have to square the account, the Master Carpenters association has come forward with an unique proposition said to be brand new to the labor world.

BOY WENT TO WAR

Lowell Young Man Not Aware of His Mother's Death in This City

A Lowell boy, James Alliette, 19 years of age, son of Delphis Alliette of 81 Ford street, is now in France, fighting for the British colors, and is not aware of the fact that his mother is dead and was buried yesterday, and he will not hear the sad news for probably another week.

The young man enlisted in the 22d Canadian Royal regiment last October and sailed about three weeks ago. He is a drummer in the band. When volunteers were called for in Canada to form the 22d regiment, Alliette, who resided in this city, asked his father's consent to go to the Dominion and enlist in the army and it was only after considerable coaxing that the father gave his consent.

James left this city in October and went to Montreal, Que., where he enrolled as a drummer. From Montreal he was assigned to the camp at St. Jean, Que., and a couple of months ago the regiment removed to Amherst, N. S. The young man wrote a letter to his mother every week and three weeks ago when the last letter was written, he told his mother not to write to him for he was sailing for France and could not give his address. However, he promised his mother he would write her as soon as he reached France.

Mrs. Alliette became ill a few days ago and was removed to the hospital, where after undergoing two operations she passed away Friday of last week. Her funeral took place yesterday morning.

Mr. Delphis Alliette in conversation with a reporter of The Sun this morning said he is longing to receive news from his son. He said he fears he was in the regiment which was almost completely wiped out in a recent battle near the Ypres. He said the boy wrote every week and he fails to see why he is neglecting to do so now unless something has happened to him. The father sent a letter to his son, informing him of the death of his mother, and has addressed it to the 22d Royal regiment, Amherst, N. S, and he believes the Canadian authorities will see that the letter is delivered in Europe.

ATTEMPT TO KILL VILLA

COLONEL OLIVAS OF VILLA'S STAFF FIRED THREE SHOTS AT LEADER—TWO TOOK EFFECT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 4.—An attempt to kill General Villa was made by Colonel Olivas of his staff, according to news received today from Chihuhua d[illegible] May 1. It was said three shots were fired and Villa was wounded twice but not dangerously. Olivas was killed by his brother officers. It was said the trouble followed reduction of Olivas to the ranks for insubordination.

CASE OF TYPHUS FEVER

SECOND TO REACH NEW YORK WITHIN A WEEK FOUND ABOARD CUNARD LINER

NEW YORK, May 4.—The second case of typhus fever to reach this port within a week was found today aboard the Cunard liner Carpathia upon her arrival from Mediterranean ports. The victim, a steerage passenger, was removed to the Swinburne island hospital for treatment.

The entire steerage, it was said, would have to be fumigated before the ship could be released.

The Carpathia sailed from Naples, Genoa and Piraeus. She stopped at Gibraltar on the way.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lefliche of 15 Apple street yesterday observed the 32d anniversary of their wedding. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents, including a beautiful chest of silver. A musical program was rendered, including vocal selections by Mr. F. E. Lefliche. Mr. William Hamilton and Miss Mabel Meehan. Mrs. F. E. Lefliche and Miss Margaret Le-Riche accompanied the singers. Refreshments were served.

RAIDER INTERNS

Kronprinz Wilhelm Was Towed to the Newport Navy Yard

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 4.—The German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm was towed to Newport navy yard today and interned to await the close of the war.

CARMAN TRIAL

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 4.—One hundred additional talesmen from whose numbers more jurors were to be chosen to try Mrs. Florence Carman for the murder of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey last June were in the supreme courtroom today when the trial was resumed. Five jurors had been selected in the first day's session. It was expected, however, that the jurybox would be filled today.

Mrs. Carman spent the night locked up in the jail. Her active part in the selection of the jury is one of the chief features of her second trial. In the first trial she had little to say about the choice of jurors, but this time she seems to be in charge of this part of her case and her three attorneys defer to her judgment.

Before court opened District Attorney Smith said the chief new evidence he had related to the hour of the shooting. It was the contention of the defense in the first trial that Mrs. Bailey was shot about eight o'clock in the evening and that the unseen assailant escaped in the dark. Mr. Smith said that he would produce witnesses to prove that the shooting occurred about 7 o'clock when it was still light. The Freeport police were notified about nine o'clock.

Ten jurors were in the box when court adjourned for the luncheon recess.

TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

PRES. WILSON REFRAINED FROM COMMENT ON WRECKING OF THE STEAMER GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 4.—President Wilson refrained from comment today on the wrecking of the American steamer Gulflight by a German torpedo, pending receipt of advices on all the facts and circumstances. The president said he expected a full report from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, as well as from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin.

When asked concerning the case of Leon C. Thresher, an American drowned when the British steamer Falaba was sunk by a German submarine, President Wilson revealed that no representations have as yet been made to Germany, but that probably it would be treated with the other cases that had arisen, for in his opinion they all seemed a part of the war zone circumstances.

Early today the president and Secretary Bryan conferred at length, but it was said they did not discuss any line of policy in the war zone cases, deferring that until a complete investigation of the Gulflight incident had been made.

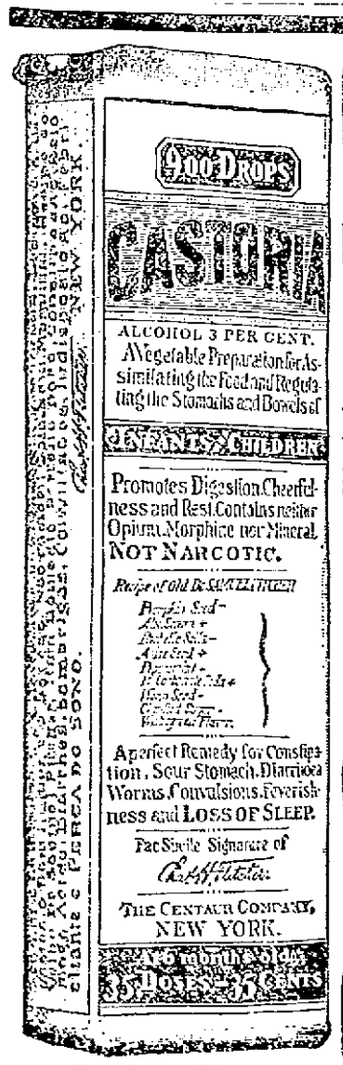
The cabinet discussed the sinking of the Gulflight at length and afterward members reiterated that the position of the United States would not be finally determined upon until further details were received.

AMERICAN EMBASSY INVESTIGATES

LONDON, May 4.—The American embassy began today an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight. An examination of the ship as well as of the crew will be made. It is probable that the inquiry will be carried on principally at Plymouth, where the crew landed.

The investigation will be conducted as expeditiously as possible so that no time may be lost in transmitting the report to Washington.

The London afternoon papers comment only in the briefest manner on the Gulflight incident. The Westminster Gazette asks whether President Wilson will make good his words of February and hold the German government to strict accountability.



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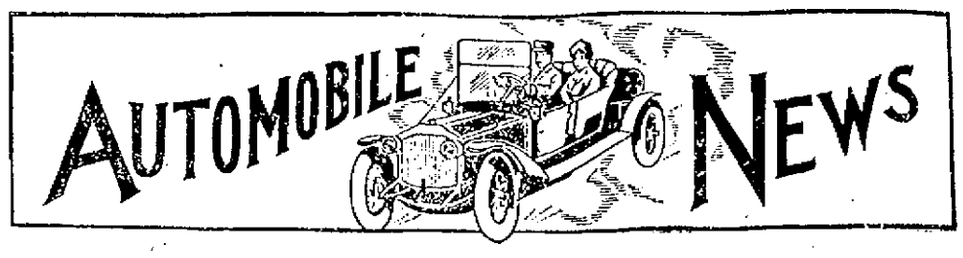


LOCAL MOTORCYCLE CLUB

ENTERTAINED MEMBERS OF BAY STATE ASSOCIATION — LATER ALL WENT TO NASHUA

The members of the Bay State Motorcycle club were Sunday the guests of the Lowell Motorcycle club and later the two organizations wended their way over the Pawtucket boulevard to Nashua, N. H., where they were entertained by Mr. Prew, the Nashua agent of the Harley-Davidson motorcycles. The members of the Bay State organization left Boston in the early forenoon and speeded over the road to this city, making their headquarters at the store of Joseph Parmentier in Moody street, the local agent for the Harley-Davidson machine.

While in this city the boys were escorted through several of the clubs and after enjoying a dainty luncheon the trip to the Gate city was undertaken. The party arrived in Nashua in the early afternoon and they spent a few hours as the guests of Mr. Prew, who threw open his bowling alleys for the visitors.

The members of the Bay State Moto cycle who made the trip were as follows: J. H. Wing, captain; George Downs, first lieutenant; M. S. Pierce, sergeant; William Burney, George Downes, Donald Pope, winner of many races at Readville; Silas Smith, Joseph Hoffman, William Norwood, Dan. Sullivan, C. W. Cartwright, Arthur White, C. N. Stanley, N. C. Stanley, W. G. Carpenter, F. E. Carpenter, E. Simmons, Max Myerow, M. C. Trowbridge, C. W. Swanson, George Swanson, J. C. Silver, G. W. Cross, A. R. Candiff, N. Defidines, Fred Crosey, S. J. Rogers, R. M. Linnell, E. S. Weaver, H. F. Whiffletry, W. E. Willett, C. E. Willett, Geo. Campbell, Miss Draper, Miss Pauley, C. Williams, Jesse Campbell, H. C. Johnson, Miss McArdle, William Haladay, Miss Lillian Day, J. Armitage, Fred Steeroff.

The Lowell club was represented by the following: George Garmon, president; Eugene Ricard, secretary-treasurer; Joseph Parmentier, Thomas Lacourse, and Mrs. Lacourse, Henri Duval, Joseph Durant, James Farley, Fred Coupe, Lawrence Farley, Harold McDonald, Sam Alack, J. Singelais, Jos. Lapointe and Mrs. Lapointe, Ed. Bellerose, Fred Duval, Albert Boucher and Mrs. Boucher, G. M. Fugat, Paul Davis, Fred Desjardins, Jr., Napoleon Lachance, John McClure and wife, Thomas Curran, Alphonse Lajoie, Fred Curran, Romeo Couture, M. Gervais and Miss Gervais, Joseph Parmentier, Joseph Roussel, Joseph Goyette and Pierre Bourgeois, owners of a camp at Willow Dale, will keep open house for all motorcycle riders next Sunday. All who would like to pay a visit to the camp are requested to call at Joseph Parmentier's store in Moody street at or before noon. A luncheon will be served at the camp and a good time is in store for all who will call.

Arthur Cummiskey Motor company has sold Joseph Flynn a Jeffrey four.

Vigeant's market, cor. Merrimack and Suffolk streets has purchased a Vim delivery truck from Philip Bibeault of the First street garage.

The Sawyer Carriage company, Worthen street is having big sales of Firestone truck tires. Like the pneumatic tires of the same make these tires are popular among truck users. The Firestone people were the pioneers with the demountable rim and have enjoyed unparalleled success with this manner of putting on tires which they were the first to recommend. The operation of putting on solid truck tires is identical with the way the pneumatic tires are put on.

At Jean's salesrooms there are some big bargains in used cars at all prices. Some are for sale at prices as low as fifty dolars. A feature about this establishment is that it will procure any make of a car at approximately the price one wishes to pay. One has but to tell of his wants. Last week an amusing incident occurred at the Jean's salesrooms. There was for sale a Ford touring car of very ancient vintage. It was one of the first 300 cars to leave the Ford factory and is over fifteen years old. Last Friday John Carroll and Paul Cement took it down Merrimack street and when they reached the square they were held up by the traffic officer and in compliance to the mandate of the official put on the brakes but though the spirit was willing the brake was too weak to hold the car and the little old Ford rambled right along until in desperation the occupants jumped from the ancient vehicle and one getting in front of it and the other behind, held the refractory machine stationary. The old Ford showed that there were still a few kicks left and had not yet succumbed to the infirmities of old age. The old Ford had a contemporary at the salesrooms that first saw the light of day at about the same time. Its companion was an ancient one-cylinder Cadillac, also a relic of old decency. This "one lunger" was also very active in spite of the wear and tear of years. Last week the 'one lunger" took a party of four up Sixth street hill, clearly showing that although a "one lunger" it was by no means tubercular.

A new department has been opened at the Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen street. This week marks the beginning of a welding department at this busy establishment. Here experts will repair broken crank cases, frames, etc., in a most reliable manner. It will not be long before this new department will be busy with work as are the many other departments of this company.

Judging from reports one might think that Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart had enough time to sell cars of makes other than Fords. However this is not the case for the little time that is not spent in selling Fords Mr. Rochette needs for sleep. A great many motorists are having new tops and slip covers for their autos made at the Donovan Harness company, Market and Palmer streets. During the week just past this firm has received a number of orders of upholstering jobs.

Clarence A. Cunningham, 17 Hoyt avenue, is agent for the Priggen portable steel garage. The garage has been designed to meet the very rigid law requiring that every garage to be of fireproof construction. The Priggen garage is framed with 1½ in.x1½in.x¼ inch angle irons covered with galvanized sheet metal in imitation of stucco, cement, bricks, clap-boards, cement block or corrugated iron. Mr. Cunningham would be pleased to give information to any interested party.

Today George W. Morrison, well known in automobile circles, gives some reasons why he can make it profitable to the auto owner to purchase tires from him. Mr. Morrison is also agent for a six-cylinder, seven-passenger car which sells for $1550.

George R. Dana is offering a rare bargain in a slightly used limousine which is in fine condition, having been used by a private family. It's a bargain for someone.

Jos. Parmentier, agent for the Harley-Davidson motorcycle, has delivered a three-speed model to Napoleon Lachance at Cheever street.

Joe McGarry is proving to be a popular gas dispenser.

The number of members of the Lowell motorcycle club is ever growing. Are you a member?

During the past few weeks the Lowell Cycle Shop, Gorham street, has received many shipments of bicycles. Young and old in quest of two-wheelers patronize this shop.

The Anderson tire shop, Paige street, has broken all records of previous years for sales of tires. Charlie Anderson states that the sales of tires during the month of April this year, were 300 per cent. above the sales made in April, 1914. In the vulcanizing line this shop is very busy, but manages to maintain their standard, "Quick service."

A MILLION FORDS

With the completion of the 500,000-car schedule, Aug. 1, 1915, there will be one million Ford cars in operation. A million owners mean dealers in proportion. There are nearly 6000 Ford dealers, and in the hands of these dealers is kept a stock of parts aggregating about $12,000,000.

The ratio of Ford owners, as compared to owners of all motor cars is shown, for example, by California, Iowa and Florida, three extreme points in the Union. More than 50 per cent. of all the automobiles owned in these three states are Fords, and there are 113,000 cars in Iowa, too. There is a Ford dealer every 10 miles in Iowa. In Greater New York city and vicinity there are branches in Long Island City, Brooklyn, the Bronx and Newark.

SPARK ADVANCE

The position of the spark lever should vary with the speed of the motor. For persons who are operating their first car, it simplifies the driving if the spark lever can be left in one position. About the best rule that can be given is to imagine the quadrant divided in proportion to the car speed, assuming that the spark should be fully advanced for the maximum speeds.

In following out this idea, the spark lever should be advanced to a position one quarter of the way down the quadrant for speeds of ten to fifteen miles per hour; a position approximately in the center of the quadrant for speeds of twenty to thirty miles; a position of three-fourths the quadrant for thirty-five to forty miles; and full advance for all higher speeds. If it is desired to leave the spark lever in a fixed position, the position for average conditions of between one-fourth and one-half the way down the quadrant will give fair performance, but the power and general economy will be affected in the extremes of speed variation. The spark should be fully retarded when the car is to be throttled to its lowest speed on high gear.

Providing that the spark lever is neither retarded nor advanced, the opening of the circuit interrupter occurs at exactly the same point in the cycle with reference to the end of the compression stroke, regardless of the speed of the motor. Of course the time interval is shortened with increasing speed.

The end of the compression strike is considered as being the extreme upper limit of the travel of the piston on the compression stroke. This end of the compression stroke may or may not be the time of maximum pressure in the combustion chamber of the cylinder. To obtain the maximum power from the motor, the maximum pressure should come at the end of the compression stroke. This condition depends upon the timing of the spark, relative to the motor speed.

Consider the motor running slowly under a considerable load. The spark is well retarded and the throttle open to a considerable degree. When the spark is fully retarded in the Haynes "Light Six" motor, the spark occurs when the fly wheel has passed dead center by one-half an inch measured on the circumference. Thus, under the condition assumed the spark comes, for all practical purposes, at the instant the compression stroke is completed. Just before the spark jumps across the points of the plug, the mixture of gas comprising air and vaporized gasoline has been compressed to a pressure between seventy-five and eighty pounds per square inch. The spark occurs and the pressure jumps to approximately 350 pounds. The gases expand and drive the piston down so that the pressure is rapidly lowered.

There is an appreciable time interval between the time the ignition interrupter operates and the time when the charge of gases in the cylinder are completely burned or exploded. Perhaps an explanation of what actually takes place within the cylinders would make this fact clear.

First of all an explosion of the gases is nothing more than the rapid burning of gases. The combining of the oxygen brought in with the air, with the tiny particles of gasoline produces a large volume of gas. The burning takes place by a flame cap passing through the volume of gas. This flame cap is a thin wall of flame that starts from the spark and passes through the entire gas with a spherical front. It is the dividing line between the burned and unburned gases. While the burning of this flame is very rapid it is not instantaneous. Its speed depends in part upon the percentage of gasoline vapor in the mixture. A combustible is had only between certain limits. It is possible to get a mixture of air containing too small or two great a percentage of gasoline to be combustible. A mixture considerably diluted with air, as is the case when the motor is running idle, does not permit the flame to pass through it as rapidly as when it is richer.

When the motor is running at a high rate of speed under load, the piston speed is much greater than in the first condition assumed, and considering the same time interval, the piston in this case has traveled down farther from the top than in the first case of the slowly running motor. Consequently, if the interrupter operates at the same point in reference to the end of the compression stroke when the motor is running rapidly, as it does when it is running slowly, the spark will come at the same time interval, but will not come until an instant after the piston has passed the end of the compression stroke and started downward. The time consumed in the complete burning of the gases is added to this lateness of the spark. It can be readily seen that the maximum pressure would not come exactly at the end of the compression stroke but at a fraction of a second later and a certain amount of power will be lost. The effect is that of the piston running away from the gases.

To remedy this condition, the spark lever must be advanced as the speed increases, so that the opening of the circuit interrupter is made at an appreciable time interval before the piston comes up to the end of the compression stroke, such that the time elapsing between the opening of the interrupter and the instant the piston completes the compression stroke will permit the gases to be completely burned at the instant the piston starts downward on the power stroke.

THE AMERICAN MADE AUTO

The thought of automobiles in the far east instinctively brings to mind the picture we used to see of a small, one-lunged affair of pain and sorrow, surrounded by a curious group of gaping natives.

But the tedious evolution of the other side of the world has been quickened considerably by the development of the motor car industry and the invasion of foreign fields by the wide-awake manufacturers of the United States. There are still the 'rickshaws and plodding bullock carts and the sturdy, stunted ponies, but the background must not be confused with the action of the picture.

The little brown brothers of the Philippines were, perhaps, the first of the Orientals to adopt in any sense, the modernized methods of transportation. This can be explained by the American occupation which carried with it an influx of American ideas and American modes of living. Just recently an automobile race meet at Baguio, Philippine Islands, preceded by an endurance run to that town from Manila, was one of the big features of a gala week in Luzon. Over the rough roads and soggy trails between the two cities an American made car led the field, completing the long trip in nine hours and 27 minutes with a perfect score.

A unique event was the slow race, in which the drivers vied with each other in an endeavor to show the big crowd how slow their cars could go without coming to a complete stop. This event, over a quarter of a mile course, was also won by a car of American manufacture.

American automobiles have been able to gain attention and interest in the Philippines by ingenious demonstrations and long, tedious tours through the interior, showing the capabilities of the various cars. While a number of the better class of Filipinos are car owners, the younger generation is still being painstakingly educated to the automobile. Many of the natives are chauffeurs for Americans and foreigners who find them excellent mechanicians and careful drivers.

THE VALUE OF GOOD ROADS

The sentiment in favor of good roads would never have reached its present almost unanimous proportions but for the persistent agitation of those who used automobiles for pleasure. But it must also be admitted that this element is now only one of the many and among the least weighty of the influences that demand more and more good roads.

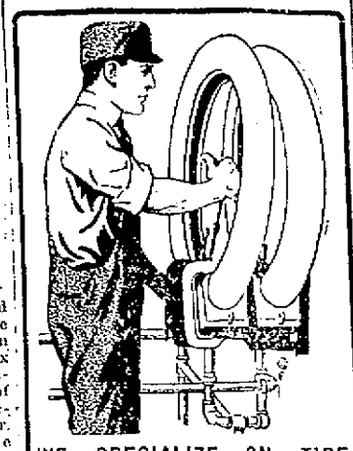
Tradesmen in the towns and cities have found that good roads increase their zone of trade. Farmers find their markets easier to reach. Doctors get to their patients quicker. Rural free mail delivery never would have been accomplished under the highway conditions of former days.

GREAT INCREASE IN BUSINESS

Throughout the United States road officials are everywhere showing themselves keenly alive to the enormous increase in automobile touring manifested this year from all sections, as evidenced by the information they are forwarding to the good roads and touring boards of the American Automobile Association. This information covers the work in progress and the work to be commenced during this month.

CROSS-COUNTRY JAUNT

Supplied with complete camping outfit and provisions, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mills of Butte, Mont., have started on a cross country motorcycle trip. They expect to go first to Spokane and Portland and then follow the coast south to San Francisco. They will spend some time visiting in the west before starting on the return trip.



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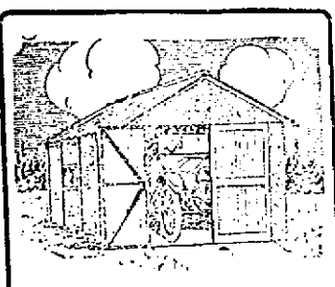

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LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Hinder lightship there was an engagement between two German patrol boats and several armed English steam trawlers. One trawler was destroyed. A division of British destroyers thereupon entered the action and the German patrol boats were lost. The British admiralty declares that a majority of the crew was saved.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK BY ALLIES TO NORTH OF YPRES YESTERDAY

PARIS, May 4.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"There was a German attack yesterday evening on the British front to the north of Ypres. The Germans were driven back by our allies.

"In the Argonne near Bagatelle we delivered an attack which resulted in the gaining of ground."

WAR BULLETINS TELL OF AUSTRO-GERMAN VICTORY OVER RUSSIANS

VIENNA, May 4.—War bulletins issued by the Austrian and German army headquarters and posted in Vienna yesterday and today bring news of the Austrian-German victory over the Russians in western Galicia.

A large Austro-German army has been steadily concentrating before Cracow for the past three weeks with the purpose of making a new offensive movement. All available Austro-Hungarian troops have been quietly transferred during this time to the Dunajec front and for a fortnight past an unbroken stream of troop trains has been pouring eastward from Frankfort, Berlin and other German railroad centers. Thus was warning given that big events were impending in the east. Newspaper correspondents were permitted to telegraph that a new offensive on the Russian front was in preparation and even to intimate that the blow would fall neither in the Mazurian lake regions nor in the Carpathians. Closer indications, of course, were out of the question.

Final plans for this movement were approved at a conference held in Berlin April 23 between General Von Falkenhayn, chief of the German staff and Field Marshal Conrad Von Hoetzendorf, chief of the Austrian staff. General Mackenson, commander of the German ninth army, who came from the front in Poland also was present at the Berlin conference. He left for the front to take command of the new army that same night after receiving his final instructions. So far as is known Field Marshal Von Hindenburg did not attend the Berlin council of war although he visited German headquarters with General Mackenson shortly previous to this.

It is too early as yet to discuss the full military effect of this victory in Galicia but it is the opinion of Austrian observers that the German and Austrian strategists "got the jump" on the offensive which the Russians were believed to be planning and of which their campaign in the Carpathians was thought to have been preliminary.

The number of prisoners taken by the Teutonic allies mentioned in the first report is noticeably small but the experts here expect that the total number of men captured and the amount of war booty will grow rapidly.

Brilliant Successes

A significant feature of the reports of this victory is the reference to the piercing of the front of the Russian army. The Russian commanders up to the present time usually have been able to avoid a breach in their line by falling back before the line broke.

The political value of this victory of the first magnitude is regarded here as quite as great as the military value. It comes in the midst of the Austro-Italian negotiations and on the eve of the meeting of the Italian parliament and it coincides with the announcement of new Austro-Hungarian losses, the success of which would be materially affected by a victory at this time.

A correspondent of the New Eve. Press of Vienna at the theatre of the war has sent in the following dispatch concerning the battle of Sunday in West Galicia.

"The Austro-Hungarian offensive succeeded with surprising rapidity. The Russians occupied naturally strong positions on the Dunajec and the Biala, which had been strengthened with every imaginable method of fortifications.

They felt themselves absolutely secure. After a searching artillery preparation, exceeding in intensity anything which has occurred on the northeastern front the Austrians and Hungarians advanced Sunday on the southern wing. They stormed at the first attempt the Russian positions along a front of more than 40 Kilometres (24 miles) stretching from the Biala river through Gorlice far into the Carpathian mountains. Their assault was so fierce that the Russian line broke immediately. Many thousands of prisoners were taken, as well as an inestimable quantity of equipment, supplies, cannon and machine guns.

"At the same time on the northern wing another successful advance was carried out," the correspondent continues. "At this point Austrian and Hungarian troops crossed the Dunajec in spite of fierce opposition, stormed the Russian positions and took over [illegible] prisoners.

"Other brilliant successes also are reported from the Carpathians."

GEN. BOTHA'S UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA TROOPS CAPTURE OTYMBINGUE

CAPE TOWN, via London, May 4.—5.11 p. m.—An official statement issued here last night, says that General Botha's union of South Africa troops on Sunday captured Otymbingue an important post 100 miles east of Swakopmund, German Southwest Africa. The British losses were only eight killed. Five of these men lost their lives in the explosion of a mine during the advance up the Swakop river.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Berlin and Vienna announce great victory in Galicia; Russian army said to be crushed from Hungarian border to Vistula river.

Germans pursue Russians in direction of Riga on the Baltic.

Severe battle is in progress in northern Poland, with the Germans attacking.

Austrians claim gains in the Beskids, Eastern Carpathians.

British repel attacks at St. Julien and at Hill 60.

German assault in forest of Le Prete repulsed by the French.

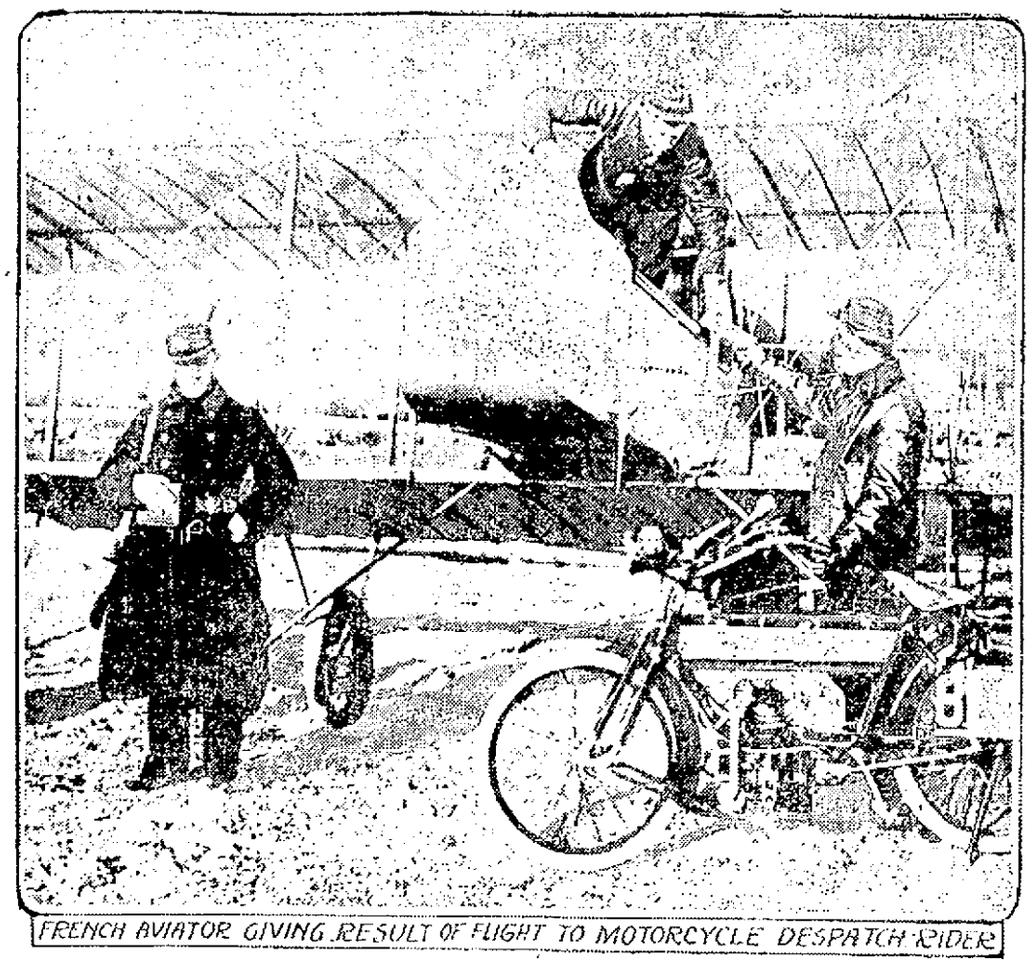
Three Norwegian steamers sunk by German submarines.

Allies reported to have captured Malos on the Dardanelles.

Washington awaits fuller details before taking any action on the Gulflight.

Canada puts ban on shipment of grain to United States; restrictions on shipments to United Kingdom.

RARE SPEED COMBINATION FORMED BY AIR CRAFT AND MOTORCYCLE AT WAR FRONT



FRENCH AVIATOR GIVING RESULT OF FLIGHT TO MOTORCYCLE DESPATCH RIDER

The war in Europe is remarkable for the adaptation by the different forces engaged of the latest inventions and appliances of all kinds. In the accompanying photograph, taken in the north of France, is shown a French army aviator handing the results of his observations in the air to a motorcycle dispatch rider, who is ready to take it to military headquarters some miles away. The riders of these motorcycles are almost as intrepid as the men of the air. One hundred miles an hour is common for them.

DEATHS

HOLLAND—Mrs. Frances V. Holland, widow of William H. Holland, died yesterday at St. John's hospital. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey. Deceased lived at 7 Favor street.

BARCLAY—Mrs. Jessie M. Barclay died yesterday at her home, 17 Corson street, aged 68 years. She leaves her husband, Oscar R. Barclay; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur B. Graves of Nashua, N. H., and Alice R., of this city; one son, Harry J. Barclay of West Somerville and two grandchildren. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church

THORNING—Claretta M. Thorning, daughter of Fernando A. and Edith M. Thorning, died April 30 in Brighton, aged 3 years and 8 months. She leaves, besides her parents, five brothers and one sister.

VAUGHAN—Miss Catherine J. Vaughan died last night at the Lowell General hospital, aged 19 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, her mother, Mrs. Delia Vaughan, one sister, Marietta and a brother Joseph. Deceased was a prominent member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St. Patrick's church. The remains were removed to her late home, 83 Willie street by Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLANCY—Peter F. Clancy, aged 31 years, died this morning at 8 Mill street. He leaves his wife, Helen; one son, Harold; his mother, Bridget; one brother, Benjamin, of Buffalo, N. Y. He was a member of the Bartenders' union.

COONEY—Thomas F. Cooney, a well known resident died at his late home, 292 High street this morning, age 63 years. For thirty years he was foreman of the H. R. Barker steam fitting works and has been treasurer of the local Steamfitters' union for many years. He is survived by his wife, Maria G.; three sons, John M., Thomas F. and Fred W.; two daughters, Miss Elizabeth, Mrs. Gertrude Hessian; two brothers, James F., of Lowell; Peter H., of Dorchester; two sisters, the Misses Elizabeth and Annie Cooney of this city.

McWILLIAMS — James McWilliams, an old resident, passed away this morning at his late home 7 Keene street. The deceased was a resident of Lowell for many years. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Katherine, and one son, George H.; one sister, Miss Mary McWilliams, and one brother, Michael. He was a member of St. Peter's Holy Name society.

CORDAIRO—Manuel Cordairo, aged 1 year and 6 months, died this morning at the home of his parents, Manuel and Maria Cordairo, 47 Elm street.

NAULT—Mrs. Aubert Nault, nee Sarah Delcourt, aged 77 years, died today at her home, 20 Worthen street. She leaves her husband, two sons, Napoleon M. Lozeau and Joseph Lozeau; three daughters, Miss Arline Lozeau and Mrs. Joseph Fulton of this city and Mrs. Edouard Lambert in Canada.

HOWARD—Died at Clifton Heights, Pa., Miss Clara Belle Howard, aged 17 years, and formerly of this city.

McCARTHY—The funeral of Patrick J. McCarthy took place this morning from his late home, 596 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, Mass., at 8.15 o'clock. A funeral mass was sung at the Sacred Heart church, Roslindale, at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Cummings was the officiating clergyman. The body was forwarded to this city where burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Kerrigan, of St. Patrick's church, read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERAL NOTICES

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Brien will take place from her home, 804 Gorham street at 9 a. m. Wednesday. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of James H. McDermott.

BARCLAY—The funeral services for Mrs. Fessie M. Barclay will be held at her home, 14 Corson street, Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

HOWARD—The funeral of Clara Belle Howard will take place Wednesday afternoon. Services at the Primitive Methodist church at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

JOYCE—The funeral of Miss Helen T. Joyce will take pace Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her mother, 82 Eleventh street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SLATTERY—The funeral of Mrs. Alice V. (Mullin) Slattery will take place Thursday morning at 8.15 o'clock from her late home, 21 Stanley street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 9.15 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

COONEY—The funeral of Thomas F. Cooney will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 292 High street. A funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Smith will take place Tuesday, May 4, at 2 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial will be in the Edson cemetery.

CORDAIRO—The funeral of Manuel Cordairo will take place on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock from his late home, 47 Elm street. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 11 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

McWILLIAMS—The funeral of the late James McWilliams will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 7 Keene street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Miss Catherine J. Vaughan will take place from her home, 83 Willie street, Thursday morning. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church. The time will be announced later. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

CLANCY—The funeral of Peter M. Clancy will take place Thursday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 8 Mill street. Services at 2.30 at St. Peter's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERALS

KEDWARD—The funeral of Eliza Kedward was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 409 Westford street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. The body was sent to Frankford, Pa., where burial took place. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

ROBEY—The funeral of Elmer H. Robey was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orwell P. Robey, 401 Walker street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

CARLEY—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth Carley were held in the Congregational church, Tewksbury, on Sunday. The church was well filled with relatives and friends, the unusually large number of beautiful floral offerings told of the great love and esteem in the hearts of those gathered to pay their last tribute to the memory of Mrs. Carley, who will be so missed in her large family, of husband, sons, daughters and grandchildren left to mourn her loss. The bearers were her sons, Joseph, Fred, Albert and Howard. Burial was in the Centre cemetery. Dr. S. A. Dixon officiated.

SLATTERY—The funeral of Michael Slattery took place this morning from the chapel of J. J. O'Connell, 658 Gorham street, at 8.30 o'clock and was largely attended. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass was sung at 9 o'clock by Rev. Daniel J. Hefferman. There were many spiritual bouquets given by his many friends and relatives. The bearers were Thomas Mangavin, John McInerney, Daniel Linehan, Fred Mangavin, Lot Haley and John O'Neil. Interment took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Daniel J. Hefferman read the committal services at the grave. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell in charge.

MEER—The funeral of the late Thomas Meer took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home in Tewksbury Centre and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Oblate novitiate where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Robert J. McCoy, O. M. I. The following delegation of the Holy Name society, of which deceased was an esteemed member, attended the funeral: Frank Williams, William Kelley, Daniel Scott, Peter Lacy, J. E. Streckwald, John Young and Mr. Clancy. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a pillow inscribed "Father," from the family, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Williams and family, D. J. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kelley, Mrs. Kelley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. McKillopp, Mr. Henry Morris, Mr. and Mrs. F. Nicholson, Miss Mary Young, Mrs. Fairgrieves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shedd, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbon, Miss Hannah Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. S. McHugh, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt, Mrs. Patrick Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Brennon, Mrs. Matthews, Miss Anna Clark, Mrs. James Farley, Mrs. James Manley and family, and Mrs. Robert Nutter, and a mound from the Tingley family, and offering from the Holy Name society. The bearers were David J. Williams, Anthony Kelley, Finlay Nicholson, John McKillop, Denis O'Connell and Patrick Nash. At the grave Rev. Bernard McKenna, O. M. I., read the committal prayers, and the burial was in the Tewksbury Centre cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ROACH—The funeral of the late Miss Alice M. Roach took place this morning at 8.45 o'clock from her home, 211 Methuen street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9.15 o'clock, a funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a pillow from the family, heart on base the Thynne family, and pieces from Mrs. E. F. Logue, Victor Provencher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallagher and J. Henry Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Gregoire, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heffernan of Lynn, Mrs. Sarah Hurley and family, F. A. Orcutt, Mr. Claus and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Meyer, employes of John C. Meyer & Co., James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. and Mrs. Frank Brady, Miss Josephine McCarthy, Mrs. Mollie Burns of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wholey of Revere, Miss Annie Duffy, Mrs. James J. McMannon, Miss Lottie Quirk, Mrs. L. J. Smith and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Magowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Connor, Mrs. Coughlin and Bessie, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Connor, Mary and Catherine Hallisey, Mrs. M. Guthrie Lunn, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang and family; baskets, Mrs. Alice E. Brady, Dr. Alfred Roach and Miss Monahan, William Crowley and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. David, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Connor, the Misses Mary Welch, Alice Quirk and Nellie Harinett, Miss Nellie O'Hearn, Mrs. Elizabeth Kerwin and daughter. The ushers at the house and church were John J. Flaherty and Joseph Hurley. At the grave which was trimmed with a beautiful floral lining, the offering of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barry, Rev. Francis Mullin read the committal prayers. The bearers were John A. Connor, Dr. Alfred Roach, Dr. Frank R. Brady, James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. Edward Murphy and Joseph Rourke. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FEMININE GARMENTS WELL PROVIDED WITH POCKETS

Verily is the present a season of pockets, for pockets are to be found with tailored suits, on simple gowns and also upon afternoon and evening toilettes, indeed they are used everywhere that they can be placed and are made of all materials from silk to lace. Here is a gown that shows pockets of an exceedingly interesting sort for they are practical as well as smart and the gown itself is made on such simple lines that it is especially adapted to summer needs. In the picture, the material is colored linen with white, but cotton crepe of the heavier sort makes up beautifully this way. pongee is much in vogue for gowns of this kind and there are various washable materials that may be substituted for the linen if preferred, while if liked, the skirt can be made of a heavier material and the blouse of a thinner, as for example, the skirt of linen and the blouse of lawn or batiste and the collar and cuffs could be of the heavier material to carry out the effect of the two materials. The skirt is in two pieces with a seam at the back and with lapped edges at the front and the edges of the blouse meet over an underfacing to allow of closing with links. Here, the neck is finished with a rolled-over collar, but if preferred, a high straight one suggestive of the military can be substituted. Among the very new materials is cotton crepe in brocaded effect.

MATRIMONIAL

Edouard Moreau and Miss Marie Louise Carle were married this morning, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 7 o'clock by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her brother, Fred Carle, and the bridegroom by his cousin, Frederick Moreau of Nashua, N. H. During the mass the Notre Dame de Lourdes sodality choir, of which the bride is a member, rendered appropriate hymns. The bride wore white merceline silk with a lace overdress and she carried pinks. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, 1 Lavallee place, where a dinner was served, followed by a brief reception. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous gifts, left this afternoon on a short wedding tour. Upon their return they will make their home at 57 Ford street.

TO FLUSH SMOOTH PAVING

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS IT DONE IN THE EARLY MORNING BY THE FIRE DEPT.

The board of trade has sent the following letter to Commissioner Carmichael, asking that he dush the smooth paved streets in the early morning:

Lowell, Mass., May 4, 1915.

Mr. James H. Carmichael, Commissioner Fire and Water Departments, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir—The Lowell board of trade desires to recommend that you instruct the fire department to dush the smooth paved streets throughout the city during the early morning hours. This would eliminate the inconvenience caused by the blowing of dust, and would give our streets a clean and healthful appearance.

This is a matter which is successfully carried out in other cities and the committee of the board is willing to cooperate with you in working out the details of the proposed plan.

Trusting you will give this matter your serious consideration, I am,

Respectfully yours,

John H. Murphy, Secretary.

IS NOT A CANDIDATE

JUSTICE HUGHES DISAPPROVES USE OF HIS NAME IN CONNECTION WITH PRESIDENCY

WASHINGTON, May 4.—In view to recent references to the name of Associate Justice Hughes of the supreme court as a candidate for the presidency, the following authoritative statement was made today in his behalf and with his approval:

"Justice Hughes wholly disapproves the use of his name in connection with the presidential campaign. Not only has he no desire to re-enter politics, but as a member of the supreme court he is not available. He is not a candidate in any sense and cannot permit his name to be used."

BILLERICA

The Billerica selectmen held a business meeting last evening. The three members were present and spent the evening in approving bills and taking care of other minor matters. Another meeting of the board will be held on Wednesday evening when some interesting business will probably be transacted.

The regular meeting of Asa John Patten circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., will be held Wednesday afternoon. Following the business session, luncheon will be served and from 7 to 8 o'clock a reception will be tendered to state officers of the organization. Sons of Veterans and representatives from other patriotic organizations will be present.

ON NEWS PRINT PAPER

INCREASED RATES APPROVED IN PART BY THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Increased rates on news print paper and on other papers from points in New England to New York city and adjacent points over the Boston & Maine, the New Haven and the Boston & Albany railroads were approved in part today by the inter-state commerce commission.

In its decision the commission declared that the proposed rates are the result of a compromise between the railroads and paper manufacturers, principally located in the vicinity of Holyoke, Mass. The increase from that section is from 16 per cent per hundred pounds to the third class rate at 20 cents per hundred pounds and that arrangement, the commission points out, is satisfactory to the manufacturers principally concerned.

DIED AT HIS DESK

NEW YORK, May 4.—Stephen T. Smith, general manager of the Underwood Typewriter Co., died today of heart failure as he was opening letters at his desk, associates asserted. He was 62 years old and had a national reputation as an expert on typewriter construction. Mr. Smith was a resident of Stamford, Conn.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

The monthly meeting of the pupils of St. Joseph's college in Merrimack street took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the affair was largely attended by parents and friends of the children, including the pastor of the parish, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., and Rev. Joseph Denis, O. M. I.

The program included the following numbers: "Baseball," chorus by the pupils of the sixth grade; reading of compositions of grades 7, 8 and 9; "Les Oiseaux Chanteurs," recitation, Emilien Leblanc; reading of compositions of grades 5 and 6; "C'est Past Comme Cheu Nous," comical song by Louis Reault; reading of compositions of grades 3 and 4; "Le Jeu de Boches," pupils of the seventh grade; reading of compositions of grades 1 and 2; reading of the roll of honor; remarks by the pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the many kind acts shown us during our recent bereavement at the death of our dear wife and mother; also for the many beautiful floral offerings tendered. (Signed)

Mary and Catherine Reardon.
Patrick Reardon.

PAINFUL INJURY

Edouard Maille, employed by Desmarais & Bourret, plumbers, suffered a painful accident yesterday afternoon. The young man was riding on the rear end of the wagon of his employers, when upon reaching the corner of Ford and Aiken streets he lost his balance and fell to the ground, receiving bad lacerations to his left arm. He was treated by his family physician.

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COE BLAMES HIS WIFE

Unhappy at Home, Discouraged in Work, He Longed to be Free, He Says—Wife Denies Charge

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 4.—Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., who disappeared from his home in Allston, Mass., Jan. 30, has been positively identified and admits his identity. His health is perfect, and since his arrival in Fairbanks Feb. 22, after walking 400 miles from Cordova, he has worked himself into the good graces of the inhabitants.

Coe, who was identified by Alvon Jones, a well-known and reliable Alaskan pioneer prospector, by means of circulars sent out by the Burns detective bureau of Boston, has made known his reasons for leaving his young wife.

He claims that he was tired of life in Boston.

He charges that his wife lived beyond her means.

Failure to succeed in business as rapidly as he had hoped, is another reason given.

His married life was an unhappy one, he asserts, and he longed for freedom from society.

Determined to strike out for himself and win on his own merits, he says, he drew $200 from a Boston bank, leaving his wife $400, and set out for Seattle, from which city he embarked for Cordova, from which place he walked to Fairbanks.

Coe is determined that he will never return and he wants his identity kept a secret, in Alaska at any rate. His relatives' social standing is unknown here.

Coe, long before his marriage, worked with a man named Ocando in Montana, and when he left Allston he went direct to Seattle, arriving there Feb. 4. Since March he has been employed as a machinist at the Samson Hardware Company at a salary of $150 a month.

He claims that he longed for a life in the open. When he left home he kissed his young wife as usual, he declares.

DENIAL BY MRS COE.

Declares She Has Received No Message from Husband—Complains Charge of Extravagance

BOSTON, May 4.—Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., the deserted wife of the former Standard Oil company salesman and scion of a prominent New York family, vehemently denied last night that she had received a telegram from her husband.

She also denied that they had lived beyond their means during their comparatively brief married life, and asserts that, on the contrary, if she would have permitted it, their mode of living would have been much more extravagant.

She disclaims any knowledge of his ever lavishing any presents upon her, and asserted, at the home of her parents, 158 Harvard street, Brookline, last night, that since her marriage to young Coe June 3 last, he had bought her only a blue serge dress, costing between $20 and $25, and one pair of shoes.

Never Got Message

According to Mrs. Coe, Jr., her husband never displayed evidences of being dissatisfied; on the other hand, she declared that he appeared to be supremely happy.

In regard to his statement that he had tired of Boston, she said that he had become reconciled to living in Boston, and had frequently mentioned the fact, although at first he had longed for life in New York city, to which he had been accustomed.

"I do not believe that Harry ever telegraphed me, as he is reported to have stated. Certainly if he did, I never received the wire; as a matter of fact, the first news that I had of his being located in Alaska, came from Supt. Burns, who on April 20 telephoned me that he had received a due from Fairbanks, which held out great promise. But the location was not definitely given.

"You may say for me that if my husband had ever sent a telegram to me I undoubtedly would have received it, even though the message had been addressed to our once happy home at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. I think the case has been famous enough to have enabled the telegraph company to have found out my whereabouts. I was living with my father and mother on April 15.

"Anyway, it seems to me that the statement credited to him is completely contradictory. No one in his right senses would declare that he wanted his identity kept a secret, and then immediately wire his wife, would he? It does not sound like him, for if there was ever a boy who worshipped his mother, it was Harry Coe.

Believes Mind Affected

"But I don't think he would ever have wired me. I really don't believe he would have gone to the expense of sending a telegraph message that would cost in the neighborhood of 42 cents a word. By that I don't mean to imply anything derogatory to Harry, but he wasn't extravagant and he was not stingy, but he was economical, and it is my impression that if he were to correspond with me he would have done so by mail.

"And still I can't believe that Mr. Coe ever said any of the things that are attributed to him. As deeply perplexed now as ever, I will never believe that his going away was other than an insane act until he tells me himself. I still love him and hope to join him when he has recovered his mental equilibrium, for I am sure that his mind has been affected.

Would Go to Alaska

"Would you have answered his telegram if you had received it?"

"Certainly. Such suggestions of trouble between us are positively outrageous. Of course, I would have answered his telegram. Her dark eyes flashing indignantly.

"But would you go to Alaska to join him if such was his desire?"

"Yes, tomorrow, if necessary, and I would bring our little baby, June, too, for I still continue to love him and do not, cannot believe, that he was in the full possession of his senses when he went away, nor do I believe the statements that are attributed to him, or that he can be his normal self now."

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SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

THE FLOWERS' BALL

Once upon a time little May went out in the garden to see the bed of tulips her father had told her were in bloom and, as she walked along looking at them, she thought she heard some one call, "May, May." She stooped down and looked into the heart of a red tulip and there was the tiniest little person she had ever seen all dressed in green.

"Please help me out," the little voice said, "I am stuck fast in some honey the bees left here." "I'll help you, you dear little thing," said May. "I will put my finger down and you take hold of it just as tight as you can and in that way I can pull you out."

Soon the tiny little green elf was out safe and sound on the ground and bowing to May with his pointed green cap in his hand. "Thank you very much. I don't know what I should have done if you hadn't come along, for the sides of the tulip were so smooth I couldn't climb out," he said. "I will ask the queen to send you an invitation to the ball we are going to give very soon if you would like to come for the queen will be very grateful to you for your help when I tell her about it."

"Oh, I would like to come so much," said May. "Please tell her I will for I love fairies and elves."

That night, after May had gone to bed, she saw a lovely little fairy fly in the window and in her hand was a big white lily which she laid on the bed just beside May's hand. "That is your invitation to the ball and you must bring it with you," she said. "Come with me and I will show you the way."

When they reached the garden there were the most beautiful flowers May had ever seen. A tall white lily was dancing with a hollyhock and a pansy was dancing with a big tiger lily, while all of the others were finding partners and dancing as happy as could be. They didn't pay any attention to May and the fairy led her at once to the queen of the flowers who thanked her very prettily for her help that morning.

May sat and looked at the flowers as they danced and thought she had never seen anything more beautiful. At last it was time to go and the fairy took her home and saw that she was tucked up in her little white bed before she flew away. In the morning May told her mother all about her going to the flowers' ball but her mother just kissed her and smiled.

LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section 49, Chapter 590 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1913, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 421, of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 44331 on The Central Savings Bank is lost; payment has been stopped and application has been made for payment of the amount.
M4-11-18

GENTS' SUITS

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All kinds of dyeing and repairing.
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LAWSON GUILTY

Labor Leader Convicted of Murder and Given Life Sentence

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 4.—The jury yesterday returned a verdict pronouncing John R. Lawson guilty of murder in the first degree, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment, for the killing of John Nimmo, a deputy sheriff, in a battle with strikers at Ludlow, Oct. 25, 1913.

Lawson is a member of the International executive board of the United Mine Workers of America.

Commenting on the verdict, Lawson said:

"They may get me, but they can't defeat the cause of labor. I'm not worrying about myself—it's the fight I have been making for the workingmen that I am interested in—and that will go ahead. Even for me, it's a long way to the penitentiary. My attorneys will not give up until everything possible has been done to save me."

Thirty days were given attorneys for the defense to file a motion for a new trial, and Lawson was released temporarily in custody of his counsel.

Horace N. Hawkins, chief counsel for the defense, said:

"I do not believe the verdict ever will be sustained. It is contrary to the evidence. I shall fight this case as long as there are courts in which to fight."

SUBPENA FOR MORGAN

ISSUED BY SUPREME COURT IN THE WASHINGTON WILL CASE —SUMMER RECESS

WASHINGTON, May 4—J. P. Morgan has been subpenaed by the supreme court to answer the state of Virginia's suit to recover the will of Martha Washington.

The Florida statute making stockholders liable to the extent of unpaid stock subscriptions for unpaid judgments against their corporations, without further suit or order, was annulled yesterday by the court as denial of "due process."

No arguments will be heard in the court after May 11 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 12.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH

The H. W. H. club met last evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Senior, 881 Rogers street, with 20 members present. After a brief business meeting a social time was enjoyed. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. May Allard and Mrs. Charles Clough, 62 Robbins street, for the June meeting.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Office of the Secretary, Boston, April 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given, that, on the seventh day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, Irwin L. Prentiss, of Lowell, was duly licensed and commissioned to be a public warehouseman within and for the city of Lowell; that he has given bond in the sum of five thousand dollars for the faithful discharge of the duties of a public warehouseman, and that he has taken and subscribed the oaths necessary to qualify him for the duties of said office.

ALBERT P. LANGTRY,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah F. Van Tassel, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Annie E. Judd, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of May, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
A20-27-M4

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Francis X. Tobin, of Barre, in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth aforesaid.

You are appointed administrator of the estate of Michael B. Tobin, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and return to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge;

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you;

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court;

To pay any balance remaining in your hands upon the settlement of your accounts, to such persons as said Court shall direct;

To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly approved and allowed;

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, this twenty-third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M4-11-18

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel P. Sperry, of Malden, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Bert Sperry, now of Binghamton, in the State of New York, at Oneonta, in said State of New York, on the twentieth day of February, A. D. 1911, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Bert Sperry lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at North Adams, in our County of Berkshire; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Bert Sperry, being wholly regardless of the same, at said North Adams and elsewhere has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment of your libellant. And being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Bert Sperry.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1915.

ETHEL P. SPERRY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 29, A. D. 1915.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO LET

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS and bath, to let for light housekeeping; in private dwelling; Highland district. 63 Royal st. Tel. 2104-W.

REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGE TO let at Revere Beach, at new casino roller skating rink, Ocean avenue. Apply on premises.

FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, 44 Mead st. Inquire 15 Mead st.

COMPLETE SODA FOUNTAIN AND backbar for sale. Also some supplies and electric carbonator. In good order and cheap. Address M 43, Sun Office.

SIX-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; bath and modern conveniences; splendid location; Ware st. Inquire 110 Middlesex st.

JUST VACATED—STEAM HEATED furnished room to let; convenient to bath room; with private family. Apply 10 Fifth st.

STORE TO LET AT 202 MIDDLESEX st., thoroughly equipped for dye house; former tenant in possession 20 years. Inquire of Walter H. Howe.

TWO LARGE FRONT ROOMS, TO let; also rear room, steam heat, electric lights, telephone, etc. 156 Smith st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; ALSO rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 18 Rockdale ave., near Fletcher st.

SIX-ROOM FLAT, TO LET, BATH room, pantry, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, at the corner of Broadway and Shaffer st., $13.50 per month. Inquire at 85 Willie st., opposite Franklin st., or at music store, 110 Merrimack st.

TENEMENT TO LET, 7 ROOMS pantry and bath on Concord st., near Fort Hill park. Keys at 303 Concord street.

ONE 6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, $10; one 4-roo mtenement, $8; at 62 Chestnut st. Apply at Flynn's Market, 137 Gorham st.

$16, $19, NEW SIX-ROOM FLATS, without or with steam heat; all modern improvements; quiet neighborhood; one minute from two car lines; 15-25 Orford st., Pawtucketville. Keys at 17 Orford st. Tel. 4352-W.

FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET, WITH bath, hot water, set tubs, etc. Up or downstairs; $12 per month. Apply 473 School st., or tel. 2271-R.

5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, NEWly painted and papered at 40 Barclay st.; rent $9. Also 5-room tenement, pantry and bath, $12 month. Apply Schutz Furniture Co., 316-320 Middlesex st.

TWO STEAM HEATED ROOMS TO let, also four small steam heated furnished rooms at $1.50 per week. 19 Hurd st. Apply to matron.

THE OFFICES OCCUPIED FOR many years by Dr. Carolin, to let. In The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank building. Inquire at bank.

A LARGE OFFICE, 34 BY 14 FEET on the second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st., good light and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented or leased at a very reasonable rent. Apply to D. J. Harrington, Building Manager, 901 Sun building.

11-ROOM HOUSE TO LET
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LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK FOUND IN CENTRALVILLE, on April 24, 1915, containing a small sum of money. Owner can have the same by calling at 155 Lakeview ave., proving property and paying for the adv.

A DEMOUNTABLE RIM AND TIRE found. Inquire Bon Marche, delivery department.

SUM OF MONEY LOST BETWEEN Moore st. and post office. Reward to finder. Return to H 83, Sun Office.

PAIR OF GOLD STRUNG PEARL rosary beads with name Mary E. Cassidy marked on cross; lost Saturday evening, between Walnut st. and St. Peter's church. Return to 6, rear 24 Walnut st. Reward.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY LOST IN the vicinity of the post office or Central st. Finder write Box Q 61, Sun Office.

PIG FOUND. OWNER MAY HAVE same by proving property and paying charges. Call at Herman Grantz, Centre st., East Chelmsford.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG lady; long and wide experience as stenographic secretary in law office; speaks French; good correspondent. Address M 42, Sun Office.

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HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR investment in property near the Sacred Heart church seldom offered. 6 tenement house, corner location, splendid condition, large lot of land, seldom vacant, rents for $558 a year. Price only $3650. Abel R. Campbell, 403 Sun building.

SIX-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE FOR sale; near Westford and Smith sts.; excellent repair; slate roof, nice yard; buy this cottage; save car fare; price $1800. D. F. Leary, 238 Central st.

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PIANO FOR SALE; PARTY LEAVING town; excellent condition, practically new. Inquire 760 Broadway.

12-HORSE POWER MOTOR BOAT with Gray engine, for sale. Inquire at Mr. West's boathouse, Pawtucket st.

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PACKING BOXES FOR SALE; ALL sizes; delivered; also fresh sod; price right. Walter Shepard, 65 Plain st.

SPECIAL SALE—JEWELRY STORE fixtures, first class, used one year, including wall cases, show cases, big safe, cheap for immediate sale. Inquire at Boot Black Parlor, 316 Merrimack st.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
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8.06	8.50	10.30	11.56				
9.46	10.36	11.40	12.58				

Sunday Trains

Southern Division		Portland Division	
6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.16	9.30	10.18
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KEY TO FIRE ALARM BOXES

1 All box numbers commencing with the figure one, as 12, 13, etc., up to 131 are located within a radius of about one-half mile from the North common, extending from Dutton street north to Pawtucket street and from School street east to Merrimack mills.

2 All box numbers commencing with two as 21, 23, etc., are located in the business area about one-quarter mile radius from the post office, extending from Boott mills to South common and from Dutton street to Concord river.

3 All box numbers commencing with three, are located in the lower Highlands, extending from the depot to Wilder street and from Hale street along the line of Western avenue and Pawtucket canal to Pawtucket street.

4 All box numbers commencing with four, are located in the Ayer's City and Bleachery districts, extending from Edson cemetery northerly to Hale street and from Chelmsford street easterly to Concord river.

5 All numbers commencing with five are located in the upper Highlands and Middlesex Village.

6 All numbers commencing with six are located in Centralville.

7 All numbers commencing with seven, are located in Pawtucketville.

8 All numbers commencing with eight, are located in Belvidere.

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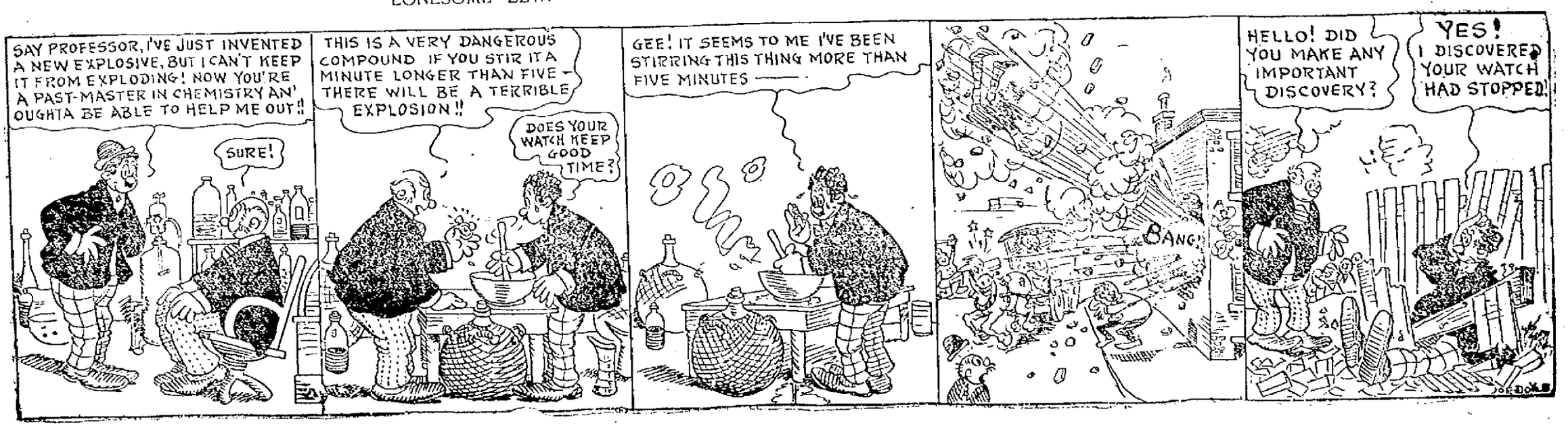

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HE DROPPED DEAD

Councillor W. H. Woods Fatally Stricken at Home in Brighton

BOSTON, May 4.—City Councillor William H. Woods of 19 Union street, Brighton, died suddenly of acute indigestion at his home at 10 o'clock last night.

Death followed his return home from a session of the city council. By a strange coincidence at the meeting he had accused Councillor Coulthurst of attending the sessions when in a condition physically unfit for service.

Councillor Woods has been a resident of Union street, Brighton, for the past 18 years. He was born in Boston 53 years ago.

Many years ago Mr. Woods entered into active politics in Boston. He was a member of the old city council in 1895, and of the house of representatives in 1904. In 1907 he was elected to the old board of aldermen.

Mr. Woods was born in South Boston, and during the larger part of his life lived in that section and in the South Cove district.

MEANS OF EXPANSION

THOUGHTS GROW BY USE OF WORDS—LANGUAGE EXPANDS AND DEVELOPS MIND

The use of language is not limited to the mere communication of ideas. An equally important function is that of the instrumentality of thought. It is not merely its vehicle, but its means of expansion.—Hardly any of our intellectual operations could be carried on without the agency of words. Language is, then, not only the offspring of thought—but its spouse as well. In every process of reasoning words are an essential element. By their means we fashion and embody our ideas.

It is therefore of the highest importance that everyone should acquire the power and habit of expressing himself clearly and correctly. The influence of language on human affairs is beyond computation. It has made history and shaped the destinies of nations. Its place in the lives of individuals is equally as important. Those who possess word-wisdom, or the power of speech, are better equipped for the struggles of life than those whose vocabulary is limited. Fluent, forceful and correct speech has a money value just as surely as mechanical or professional skill.

In this age of a complex civilization the ability to convey ideas with precision is no small equipment. But greater than this is the augmented potentiality of thought. New words enlarge the mental horizon. To speak clearly is to think clearly. The intellect in stretching its boundaries of thought must increase its power of expression by an enlarged vocabulary. A dictionary is therefore a necessity more than ever before. It should be at one's elbow, whether at home, in the office, school, shop or study. For these reasons we have taken great pleasure in placing a good dictionary, such as The New Universities Dictionary within the reach of everyone of our readers. Our coupon, published daily, gives the terms.

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CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business Saturday, May 1.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained at Liggett's pharmacy or from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

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For further particulars inquire of the auctioneer who has full charge.

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FIRE PREVENTION

State Wide Fire Signal Suggested, Four-Four, Used in Schools, Urged

BOSTON, May 4.—Two fours rung on a corridor gong signals fire to the mind of every child in the metropolitan district.

A movement was launched yesterday at the office of Metropolitan Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe to make this fire signal, 4—4, a state-wide fire alarm in every factory, department store, office building and other big blocks where there is an interior fire alarm system in operation.

Yesterday afternoon the special committee of school headmasters, for which Commissioner O'Keefe asked some time ago to study with him the problem of introducing fire prevention into the schools, met with the commissioner in conference at his office.

The result of the conference was the decision to undertake to make 4—4 the fire signal which every man, woman and child in the state will sub-consciously and automatically recognize as the signal that there is a fire in some part of the building, and act accordingly. This decision Commissioner O'Keefe regards as one of the most important steps in the recent development of fire prevention.

The committee which has been working with the fire prevention commissioner is composed of George W. Evans, headmaster of the Charlestown High school, chairman; Frank E. Hobart, headmaster of the Chapman district; Charles E. Haines, headmaster of the Lewis district; Herbert L. Morse, headmaster of the George Putnam district, and Joseph B. Egan, headmaster of the Harvard district.

They argue that since the schools long ago adopted 4—4 as the fire signal and this has become firmly fixed in the minds of the children, the same signal should prevail in every building where there is an alarm system, so that the children as they grow up and go into factories, stores and office buildings will hear the same signal that in their school days sent them to their feet to go through the orderly and expeditious routine of the well-planned fire drill.

TALK ON LUTHER BURBANK

LECTURE AT COLONIAL HALL ON THE GREATEST GRAFTER OF THE AGE

In conjunction with the clean-up and painting campaign, which was inaugurated in this city a short time ago, an illustrated lecture will be given at Colonial hall Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The affair will be under the auspices of the Lowell board of trade and the civic committee of the Middlesex Women's club. The lecturer will be Frederick Beegle of the Luther Burbank farms in California, whose subject will be "Luther Burbank; the Man and His Methods."

AUTO TRUCK BURNED

MACHINE OF WALTER ANDREWS DESTROYED ON LONG POND ROAD YESTERDAY

A one-ton International Harvester truck, owned by Walter Andrews, caught fire on the road to Long pond yesterday afternoon and was totally destroyed despite the efforts of neighbors, who rushed to the blazing machine with buckets of water. The cause of the fire was a back fire in the engine.

FLAG DAY COMMITTEE

SUM OF $150 PLEDGED FOR PURCHASE OF FLAGS—LIVING FLAG DEMONSTRATION

The sum of $150 was pledged by the flag day committee at a meeting held last night, for the purchase of 10,000 flags to be sold by school children and others. It is planned to make the Saturday preceding the observance a sort of "tag" day, when flags will be offered for sale in the streets. The flags will have a white border on three sides which will bear the words; "Memorial Day—Flag Day, Lowell, 1915." It was also voted to have a committee of women visit the public schools for the purpose of selecting children for the living flag demonstration to be given on the South common.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

MAHARAJA, INDIAN PRINCE, SHOWING HIS NEW WIFE AND SON THE WONDERS OF AMERICA

MAHARAJAH, HIS LATEST WIFE, *and* HIS SON

NEW YORK, May 4.—H. H. Farzan Dilbund Raskhul-Iti-kad Daulat-i-Inglishia, Rajah-i-Rajagan, Ratja Jagatgit Singh Bahadur, maharaja of Kapurthala, grand commander of the Star of India, who visited this country in 1893, is with us again. His highness, who has an income of $3,000,000 a year, 500 servants in the Punjab province, India, where he is permitted to reign in a mild sort of way, and four wives, arrived on the French steamship Patria of the Fabre line. However, he has brought only his last and most beloved wife with him, the maharani of Kapurthala, who was a dancer named Anita Dolgado, half Spanish and half French, now twenty-five years old and handsome. The prince married her in Madrid last year. The potentate, very affable, an Oxford man, with a perfect command of English, boarded the Patria at Gibraltar, the ship being held up for four hours for his highness and his suit of eight. There are with the maharaja and the maharani, who is known officially as her highness Princess Prem Kaur of Kapurthala, the Prince Karimjit Singh of Kapurthala, who is eighteen years old and still in charge of a French governess; secretaries, maids and manservants, and so much baggage, including golf sticks, that the customs agents could not go through it until darkness set in. Most of his diamonds and the maharani's diamonds (she has about $8,000,000 worth) have been left in a safety vault in the Punjab. "There have been many changes here, but one expects big changes," said the ruler. "I wanted my son to see this country. I have come here to renew my acquaintance with America, to travel through it for awhile after a month in Europe. I shall visit Buffalo and Chicago, which I want to see again, and Canada. I may go to the exposition in California and then come back to New York to sail for Europe. I left Bombay in the latter part of March, and I have seen a little news about insurrection and mutiny in India, but the reports are very much exaggerated. There is a little disaffection on the part of a few. As a whole the population of India is very loyal to Great Britain. I have not been at the front, but I have a son fighting for Great Britain in France."

MAYO HEARING MAY 14

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS BROUGHT BY SCRANTON WOMAN AGAINST NEW HAVEN MANUFACTURER

SCRANTON, Pa., May 4.—May 14th was fixed by the court yesterday for hearing the divorce suit of Mrs. Florence Weeks Mayo of this city against Virginius J. Mayo, the New Haven manufacturer, who came into public notice several months ago after the death of his stenographer, Lillian Cook.

The libellant alleges she was married to Mayo at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1891, and that she was his second wife. She claims he deserted her.

CARBUNCLE COSTS LIFE

WORCESTER, May 4.—Walter P. Kramer, 22, a member of the senior class of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and a son of Walter S. Kramer of 20 Sheffield road, Winchester, died this evening at the Memorial hospital of septic poisoning, due to a carbuncle on his neck.

The young man became delirious Saturday and was taken late in the afternoon to the hospital. His condition became rapidly worse and he died at 8.30 o'clock last night.

DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

"For years I have suffered terribly with stomach trouble. I could find no relief. Then, like a blessing from above, I heard of your remedy; sent for it, and after a few treatments am being cured. I am going to tell all my friends of your miraculous remedy."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

DESTROYER LAUNCHED

TUCKER IS ONE OF THE LARGEST VESSELS OF ITS KIND IN THE WORLD

QUINCY, May 4.—The torpedoboat destroyer Tucker, launched at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation today is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

It measures 351 feet over all with a beam of 29 feet ten inches and depth 17 feet and seven inches. The displacement is 1050 tons and the vessel is equipped with a 1700 horsepower engine.

The Tucker is named for Commodore Samuel Tucker, who served in the war of the revolution and of 1812. When John Adams was appointed minister to France he sailed from Quincy in the frigate Boston, of which Commodore Tucker was in command.

Mrs. William Garty of Brookline, a lineal descendant of the commodore, was chosen as sponsor.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

Man in the Moon, Everyday Etiquette and Other Feature Articles for Sun Readers Tomorrow

In a sparkling contribution which will be printed in The Sun tomorrow, "The Man in the Moon" comments on a variety of local affairs. Among other things, he writes of the exhibition of Orson Lowell's drawings at the Whistler house. He also talks of the bowling situation. The article will prove of interest to all readers.

Questions of etiquette regarding dinner parties, cards, invitations, etc., will be answered in a helpful way in "Everyday Etiquette."

"The French Maid" will tell how to clean the gas stove. The morning toilette will be the topic of discussion in "In Milady's Boudoir." The "Sleepy-time Tale" for the children will be "The Princess of the Tower."

ORDER OF BUFFALOES

Plans are completed for the second annual concert and ball of Lowell herd, No. 16, Benevolent Order of Buffaloes to be held in Associate hall Thursday evening.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The executive board of the Young Women's Christian association has chosen Miss Helen Hyndman of Schenectady, N. Y., for the position of general secretary of the local association, to succeed Miss Harriett L. Boutelle. The new secretary will report in September.

Miss Hyndman will be graduated from the Y. W. C. A. National training school in New York city in June and she comes highly recommended. She is a graduate of Smith college in the class of 1908 and afterward served as a volunteer worker for the Schenectady association and later as its president.

GOVERNOR IN ACCIDENT

AUTO SKIDS AT LAWRENCE ALMOST IN WAY OF TRAIN—STOPPED JUST IN TIME

LAWRENCE, May 4—Gov. Walsh's life was in danger for a few moments last night. An automobile on which he had come from Boston with J. Augustus Donovan, chairman of the Lawrence democratic city committee, skidded on wet pavements at the South Lawrence crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad.

A northbound train was speeding on the tracks toward which the machine slewed. The chauffeur's efforts to arrest the car by the brakes were unsuccessful and the train was almost upon the crossing, when the governor's automobile was stopped by the crossing gates.

It was some minutes before Gov. Walsh regained his composure and he was forced to rest before addressing the Young Men's Christian association. Later he spoke to the Knights of Columbus.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Women Should Take Warning

If the statement made at a New York assembly of women, that healthy American women are so rare that they are almost extinct, is true, it is time for the women of America to take warning and look to their health. It may be headaches, backaches, dragging down pains, nervousness, mental depression that are telltale symptoms of some organic derangement for which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—a simple remedy made from roots and herbs—is a specific and may be relied upon to restore women to a healthy normal condition.

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CARMEN'S UNION

Executive Board Points Out the Car Sprinkler Man's Mistake

The executive board of the local Carmen's union has come across with a statement to prove that if Supt. Perry of the American Sprinkler company had given the union what it asked, the American Car Sprinkler company would have been money in pocket.

"Mr. Perry," said the executive spokesman, "was willing to put motormen on front of both sprinklers at $17.64 each, per week; one motorman on the arm (acting as foreman), at $20 a week; one man on arm at $14 a week, and two uniformed conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week, each. The $15.12 represents the pay paid conductors the first year, and as one of the rules of the union is to observe seniority, it could not agree to two first year men on rear end.

"Our proposition was for motormen on the front ends, at $17.64 a week, as agreed to by Mr. Perry, and conductors on the rear end at $17.64 each. We did not have anything to say about the arm men, and Mr. Perry could have continued them at $14 a week.

"If you will go over these figures you will see that our proposition was a better one for Mr. Perry's company than was his own proposition. The term of his contract is 31 weeks and now we will see how much it would have cost the company to have carried out Mr. Perry's suggestion. The pay of two motormen at $17.64 a week, each, for 31 weeks would equal $1,093.68. One man at the arm at $20 a week for 31 weeks, would have earned $620, and one man at $14 a week, $434. Two conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week each would have earned $937.44, and if you add all these sums together you will find that the sum total is $3,085.12, and that's what it would have cost the company under Mr. Perry's suggestion.

"Now we will see what it would have cost the company if our requests had been complied with. We wanted four men at $17.64 each, two motormen and two conductors. For 31 weeks this would total $2,156.36. Two arm men at $14 a week for 31 weeks would figure $868, making a grand total of $3,024.36, or a saving for the company of $60.76 as compared with what Mr. Perry said he was willing to do."

BOMB EXPLODED

Bronxborough Hall Badly Damaged—Two Men Hurled 20 Feet

NEW YORK, May 4.—A powerful dynamite bomb exploded in the Bronx borough hall last night, badly damaging that building only a short time before a meeting of tax payers was to have been held there. Only five persons were in the building. Although two of them were thrown 20 feet, neither was injured. The first floor of the building occupied chiefly by the bureau of highways was wrecked and the structure was so badly damaged that it was closed.

Two foreigners were arrested near the scene shortly after the explosion and taken to police headquarters for examination.

Borough President Douglas Mathewson's personal attendant and a consulting engineer were in the president's office when the explosion occurred directly under it and they were hurled the length of the room.

The authorities expressed the opinion that the perpetrators of last night's crime are the same ones who last November exploded a bomb near the Bronx courthouse just as Judge L. D. Gibbs of Bronx county was leaving the building. No one was injured, but much damage was done to the court house and surrounding property. Judge Gibbs at that time declared he believed the motive to be revenge sought by friends of white slavers, who had been sentenced by his court.

TRIAL OF $3000,000 SUIT

ACTION BEGUN IN THE DAMAGES CASE AGAINST B. & M. IN WHICH FIRE IS BLAMED TO A SPARK

BOSTON, May 4.—In the Middlesex superior civil court yesterday, before Judge Stevens and a jury, the trial of the $300,000 suit for damages against the Boston & Maine railroad, brought by the Converse Rubber company of Malden, was begun. The Rubber company alleges that a spark from one of the defendant's locomotives set fire to the company's storehouse Feb. 2, 1911, causing considerable damage.

L. H. S. BATTALION NIGHT

Three Companies Will Go Through the Maneuvers on Next Friday Evening—Full Military Regalia

The first "Battalion Night" under the auspices of the Lowell high school regiment will be held at the school armory on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. Owing to the inadequacy of the drill headquarters for the holding of regimental maneuvers, Companies A, G and I have been selected to go through maneuvers. The privates will be in full military regalia.

LIFE SAVING CLASSES

Forty-one members of the local Y. M. C. A. have registered in the new life saving classes which hold sessions as follows:

Seniors, Monday evenings at 9 o'clock; students, Friday afternoons; juniors, Saturday mornings, and employed boys, Saturday afternoons. The course of work given in these classes prepares the men enrolled for the international life saving examinations which will be held here on May 20, 21 and 22.

WOMEN'S MEETING POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, which was scheduled to be held at Marion during the week of June 7, has been postponed to June 21 and 23.

TROLLEY STRIKE

Wood Says, 'Settlement Soon in Sight,' at Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, May 4.—Conference between the Trolleymen's union, the state board of arbitration and officials of the Springfield Street Railway company, held all-day yesterday up to midnight, resulted in no settlement of the trouble between the company and employes.

Three proposals for peace offered by the union have been rejected and a fourth will be considered at a conference of company officials this morning at 10 o'clock. One proposal made by the company has been rejected by the trolleymen.

Pending further conferences the public investigation called for today has been postponed until tomorrow.

In a statement given out by Charles G. Wood of the state board early this morning he said:

"Every conference and each proposal brings the men nearer rockbottom. A settlement soon is in sight."

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JUMPED FOR HER LIFE

MISS KATHERINE COLBURN OF DEDHAM JUMPED FROM BACK OF RUNAWAY HORSE

DEDHAM, May 4.—How Miss Katherine Colburn, a young woman of this town, was carried four miles over the Blue Hills on the back of a badly frightened runaway horse Sunday finally jumping off and receiving serious injuries, became known yesterday.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Henry P. Endicott, whose husband is Henry P. Endicott, the millionaire shoe manufacturer. She is widely known for her love of horses and as a driver and rider. Recently she purchased a Kentucky racer and planned to enter the thoroughbred in the Brookline Country club races on June 17.

Sunday she took the animal out for the first time. It behaved well from the time of leaving Miss Colburn's home on East street until the bridle path in the Blue Hills was reached. When well into the path the animal became frightened and bolted off the path and up the hill.

Miss Colburn exerted all her power to master the animal, to no avail. The horse continued at breakneck speed up the long slope of Blue Hill, Miss Colburn every moment expecting to be thrown off.

The top of the ridge reached, the animal continued down the opposite side. Miss Colburn's predicament here being increased by fear the horse would stumble.

When more than half way down the hill, Miss Colburn thought it best to throw herself off the animal's back. She landed heavily on a spot free from stumps and stones, but received a severe injury to her left knee.

The horse continued its run until halted by a mounted Metropolitan park policeman near the stable at the foot of the hill. After taking the horse into the stable, the officer searched for the owner and found Miss Colburn walking, her clothing torn and blood flowing from a serious cut in her knee.

He carried her to the emergency room of the Metropolitan police station nearby and a physician was called, who found it necessary to take 15 stitches in the cut. Numerous bruises were sustained about the arms and body.

At her home last night Miss Colburn was comfortable, but she will not be able to be about for some days to come.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives who by words of sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten our burden of sorrow in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary E. Tighe. We assure all that their kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. Philip Tighe and family.

JITNEYS FORCE TAX REDUCTION

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The federal trustees of the Rhode Island company last night petitioned the common council, asking the city to reduce the company's franchise tax from 5 to 1 per cent, because of the serious inroads that the motor buses have made upon the receipts of the company, which is a subsidiary of the New Haven railroad, said yesterday that about $100,000 in nickels which would ordinarily go to his company have been diverted to the motor buses during March and April. In the opinion of the railway officials the situation is serious

A WOMAN'S CHARM

Beautiful hair, fluffy, lustrous, abundant and free from dandruff, is one of woman's greatest charms—it's her main delight—yet many who would be most attractive but for their streaked, thin and lifeless hair, think there is no remedy and that pretty hair is a gift of nature. Beautiful hair is always a matter of care and proper nourishment of the hair roots.

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LOWELL 9-WORCESTER 4

INNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Worcester	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	9	4
Lowell	4	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	x	9	12	2

Despite the fact that a cold wind swept across Spalding park this afternoon and chilled the number of faithful fans who occupied seats in the bleachers and a part of the new grandstand, the day was much better for baseball than yesterday and there was some hope in the rays of sunshine that shone upon the diamond.

Jesse Burkett's Worcester club was the attraction again this afternoon, and as each team has captured one of the two games played this season, both nines went onto the diamond confident of winning and promising to fight to the finish. Manager Burkett seemed satisfied with the revenge he got yesterday by defeating the Lowell team in the 13-inning encounter which was full of real baseball; and did not seem so gloomy as he did after Saturday's game. Burkett said that all he wanted was to conclude his engagements with Lowell with two wins to his credit and he would then be satisfied.

Manager Barrows Cheered

Manager Roland Barrows of the home team was also after third game and coached his men along as they limbered up in the preliminary practice. Barrows' popularity with the fans was again shown today and each time he made a difficult catch or placed the ball beyond the reach of the outfielders during practice he was given round after round of applause. Other players on the Lowell team have also won a place in the hearts of the fans and all were cheered continuously.

A few minutes prior to the calling of play Jesse Burkett strolled out to left field and gave his young left fielder, Keegan, some individual instructions. Keegan is just beginning his professional baseball career and is being closely watched by Burkett, who hopes to develop the youngster into a star outfielder.

"Kittie" Brannfield was present in the capacity of umpire and called the first man to plate promptly at 3 o'clock.

The lineup was as follows:

LOWELL	WORCESTER
Swayne, rf	lf, Keegan
McMahon, 3b	2b, Cooney
Barrows, cf	3b, Gardella
Stimpson, lf	cf, Potteiger
Meyers, 1b	1b, Cabrera
McCleskey, 2b	c, Carroll
Dee, ss	ss, Young
Greenhalge, c	rf, Donahue
Green, p	p, Johnston

"Paddy" Green, the giant twirler of the local pitching staff, was sent out on the firing line by Manager Barrows while Johnston, the pitcher who held Lowell hitless during the last two innings of yesterday's game, went onto the mound for Worcester.

First Inning

Green's first offering was smashed to left centre by Keegan. Barrows grabbed the ball on the bound with one hand and shot it to Dee at second and Keegan was caught a yard from the bag. The blow looked like a sure double, but snappy fielding by Manager Barrows and his quick and accurate throw to Dee choked it off at second. Gardella's hard fly dropped safe in short left field. Green, attempting to catch Gardella asleep at first, threw to the bleachers and the Worcester third baseman went around to third. Green then walked Potteiger. The latter then took a long lead off first and drew Green's throw to Meyers. Gardella shot for home after Meyers had thrown to Dee. Gardella crossed the plate and Potteiger reached second base in safety. It was a well executed double steal. Cabrera smashed a single through McMahon for an easy hit, but Potteiger was held at third. Carroll was a victim on strikes. One run, three hits, one error.

Swayne jogged to first base on four pitched balls. The Worcester pitcher could not find the plate and McMahon also walked on four consecutive bad ones. Barrows tried twice to sacrifice but each time the ball rolled foul. The Lowell manager then spanked a single to centre. The ball rolled through Potteiger's legs allowing Barrows to take second and McMahon to go to third. Swayne scored on the hit. Johnston filled the bases when he cracked Stimpson in the shin with a fast one. With one run scored and three men on bases, it looked like a run festival for Lowell. Meyers slammed the ball to the right field fence, a foot inside the foul line, scoring McMahon and Barrows, while Stimpson went to third. McCleskey groundered out to Johnson. "Shorty" Dee slapped a single between Gardella and Young, scoring Stimpson and advancing Meyers to third. On an attempted double steal Meyers was thrown out at the plate. Dee went to second. Gardella picked up Greenhalge's grounder and shot it to first for the third putout. Four runs, three hits, one error.

Score: Lowell 4, Worcester 1.

Second Inning

Green had a spell of wildness when Young faced him in the second and awarded the Worcester shortstop a pass. Green then walked Donahue. Johnston hit into a double play when he banged a hard grounder at McCleskey. Mack's throw to Dee forced Donahue at second and Shorty's peg to Meyers nipped Johnston at the initial sack. Young went to third on play. Keegan lifted a fly which Barrows was waiting for in short left centre. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Holland replaced Johnston on the mound for Worcester in the second. Holland got a bad start by thumping Green's spinal column and the Lowell pitcher went to first. Swayne laid down a bunt with sacrificial intent. The Worcester boxman, however, attempted to throw the ball while picking it up and Green was safe at second, while Swayne reached first base. "Stubby" Carroll then broke into the error column by making a wild throw to second. "Stubby" threw the ball into centre field, while Green went to third. McMahon picked one out to his liking and knocked the ball between Potteiger and Keegan. Potteiger dived at the ball but failed to stop it. Billy got around to second on the smash, while Green and Swayne both scored. Potteiger was injured in his attempt to stop the drive and the game was held up for a few minutes until Potty was able to resume the guardianship of centre field. Barrows sacrificed McMahon to third. Stimpson scored McMahon with a fly to Donahue in right. Meyers pushed up a high infield fly which Young gobbled up. Three runs, one hit, two errors.

Score: Lowell 7, Worcester 1.

Third Inning

Cooney opened the third inning with a single past Dee into left field. Greenhalge made a wonderful catch of Gardella's high fly. Snubber picked the ball off the fence. He then threw the ball to second base which Cooney was trying to make after the ball was caught and the Worcester second baseman was also out. The crowd accorded Greenhalge generous appreciation of this nice bit of work. Green was generous to Potteiger. It was the fourth pass in three innings for the big fellow. Greenhalge was again Johnny on the spot and took Cabrera's high fly just inside the foul line. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Cooney made a nice stop and peg of McCleskey's grounder for a put out. Carroll took Dee's foul-fly while on the dead run. It was another nice back-stop achievement. Potteiger raced to deep centre and pulled down Greenhalge's long clout. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 7, Worcester 1.

Fourth Inning

Greenhalge had another put-out when Carroll lifted a high one along the third base line. It was McMahon's ball, but all's well that ends well. "Tie a chain on him," yelled someone on the Worcester bench, "or he'll run out of the ball park." McMahon stopped Young's grounder and slung his whip with deadly accuracy for a put-out at first. Donahue was a cinch on his weak grounder for Green and Meyers. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Green lifted a fly to short centre which Potteiger ran in and grabbed. Gardella made a swell stop of Swayne's difficult grounder. His throw to Cabrera was high, but the Cuban put his gloved hand into the air and pulled the ball down in time to make the putout. The play was close, however. McMahon banged out his second long two-bagger, a drive to left centre between Potteiger and Keegan. Billy got a great hand from the crowd, who evidently remembered the days when he was king of the South common sluggers. Barrows went out on a grounder which was easy for Cooney and Cabrera. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 7, Worcester 1.

Fifth Inning

Holland went out on an infield fly to McCleskey. Keegan attempted to bunt but the best he could do was to send up a weak pop fly to Green, which Green took. Barrows was waiting for Cooney's long fly to centre and the Worcester team once more took the field. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Stimpson drove a grounder toward Cabrera which was too hard for the tall Cuban to handle and Stimmy was safe at first. Stimpson stole second. Young dropping Carroll's throw. Umpire Brannfield called Meyers out when he groundered to Gardella. It was a close play and Lowell's big first baseman was indignant. Stimpson went to third on McCleskey's infield out. Dee hit a slow roller along the third base line. Gardella kicked the ball foul. Dee was given a hit while Stimpson scored. Greenhalge then singled to left, sending "Shorty" to second. Green was called out on strikes. One run, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 8, Worcester 1.

Sixth Inning

Dee juggled Gardella's grounder a trifle too long and the Worcester third sacker got a life at first. Potteiger hit into a double play when he smashed a fast one to Dee who threw to McCleskey, forcing Gardella at second. The ump called Potteiger out at first but the decision was questionable. Cabrera got his second single to left field. Dee took Carroll's grounder and shot the ball to McCleskey, forcing out Cabrera at second. No runs, one hit, one error.

Swayne opened the sixth with a single to left but was too ambitious and was thrown out at second when he tried to stretch it into a double. McMahon was retired on strikes. Barrows slapped a single into right field. Stimpson hit a grounder toward second which struck Barrows as he was on his way to the base. Barrows was automatically retired. Stimpson was credited with a base hit. No runs, three hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 8, Worcester 1.

Seventh Inning

Dee threw out Young on his grounder. "Shorty" also made the peg which sent Donahue into retirement. Stimpson made the feature play of the game when he dove and caught Holland's line drive in short left field. Stimmy turned a complete somersault and arose with the ball in his hands. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Meyers was granted free passage. The big first baseman then stole second. Carroll's throw was low and wide. Holland seemed to have lost his control and also passed McCleskey. "Shorty" laid down a bunt meant for a sacrifice, but reached first in safety while the other two base runners advanced a sack. Greenhalge hit to Gardella. The latter stopped the ball but did not pick it up in time to make the play. Meyers scored and the bases were still full. Green flied to Donahue. McCleskey attempted to score after the ball was caught, but Donahue's throw to Carroll nailed him at the plate. Dee and Greenhalge both moved up a peg. Swayne flied out to Gardella. One run, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 9, Worcester 1.

Eighth Inning

Keegan singled to right. Cooney sent the ball over the left field fence for a circuit clout, scoring Keegan ahead of him. Gardella drove a double along the left field foul line. McCleskey was in front of Potteiger's line drive and made a pretty catch. Cabrera hit to Meyers; Green covered the bag and the put-out was affected. Meyers to Green. Gardella went to third. Carroll walked.

Young singled to left and Gardella crossed the plate while Carroll moved to second. Donahue struck out. Three runs, four hits, no errors.

McMahon was thrown out on his grounder to Young. Cooney and Cabrera then took care of Barrows' grounder. Stimpson flied to Donahue. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 9, Worcester 4.

Ninth Inning

Green threw out Holland.
Dee threw out Keegan.
Dee threw out Cooney.
Final score: Lowell 9, Worcester 4.

BASEBALL SCORES

The batteries for today's games and the scores at the time of going to press were as follows:

American: Washington at Boston: Johnson and Alnsmith; Foster and Thomas. At end of third inning: Washington 0, Boston 1.

Nationals: St. Louis at Pittsburgh: Perdue and Snyder; Harmon and Schang. At the end of first inning, St. Louis 0, Pittsburgh 1.

Federal—Kansas City-Buffalo game postponed; cold.

American — Cleveland-Chicago game postponed; cold.

National: Cincinnati-Chicago game postponed, wet grounds.

National: New York-Philadelphia game postponed, rain.

American: Philadelphia-New York game postponed, rain.

National: Brooklyn-Boston game postponed, rain.

ARRESTED FOR BEGGING

A man and woman were arrested by Patrolmen Swanwick and Considine for begging in Merrimack street this afternoon and were sent to the station, where they were questioned. However, at the close of the interrogatory the couple were released with the understanding that they would abstain from stopping people on the street. The woman sold pencils as an excuse for stopping people on the street.

SHORT SHIP CIRCUIT

BOSTON, May 4.—Notice of the failure to fill the early closing stakes of the Hillsgrove, Woonsocket and Taunton meetings was received by Secretary Austin of the Bay State Short Ship trotting circuit today. The officials of the Taunton and Woonsocket meetings assured Mr. Austin that their tracks would go through with the races.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the automobile truck of Walter Andrews totally destroyed by fire near Long Pond, Dracut, yesterday.

LETTERS FROM BARNES TO LATE SENATOR PLATT

Barnes Complained That Clerk of Assembly Was About to Deprive Him of a Piece of Patronage

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—Letters in which William Barnes discussed politics and an appointment with the late Senator Platt and complained that the clerk of the assembly in 1904 was about to deprive him of a "legitimate" piece of patronage in the form of printing because he supported Levi P. Morton for governor were today produced in the supreme court here by Edward T. Platt, the senator's son, on the trial of Mr. Barnes' libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt.

In practically all the letters Mr. Barnes referred to printing in Albany and he denounced Lemuel Quigg, who was heading a competitor of the Journal company to secure printing contracts.

In a reply to one of the letters, Senator Platt wrote in regard to the apparent disagreement between Mr. Quigg and Mr. Barnes:

"The matter is of so much consequence that I had a personal interview with Mr. Quigg. * * * I hope the matter can be adjusted without appeal to the courts."

Mr. Barnes also wrote that the convention in 1904 "beat us on the question of the printing business and that the democrats were largely against us, but enough republicans voted against us to have enabled us to have won if they had been right."

Col. Roosevelt Called

Theodore Roosevelt again went on the witness stand in the supreme court today to testify as a witness in his own behalf in William Barnes' suit for damages for alleged libel. He smiled when his name was called and walked briskly to the witness stand.

COURTROOM CROWDED

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 4.—The prospect of seeing both Theodore Roosevelt and William Barnes upon the witness stand in the trial of the latter's $50,000 libel suit against Colonel Roosevelt drew to the courthouse today a crowd fully as large as that which gathered when the former president first went on the stand.

Although counsel for the defense intimated that they would not question the colonel at any great length, W. M. Ivins, chief counsel for Mr. Barnes was said to be ready to put the colonel through an extended cross examination. Before court opened there was much speculation as to whether Justice William S. Andrews would permit Mr. Barnes as a witness for the defense to be questioned further than was necessary to properly identify the stock, minute and other books of the Albany Journal company which have been in his custody. Mr. Barnes was instructed to produce the books yesterday after the secretary-treasurer of the corporation had testified that they were in his possession.

Edward T. Platt, son of the late United States senator, Thomas C. Platt, was ready today to produce 12 or 14 letters selected from a large number brought here in answer to a subpoena served upon him on behalf of Colonel Roosevelt. After the Roosevelt attorneys went over the great mass of correspondence they decided, however, that all except the number stated were valueless to their case.

Franklin Roosevelt Testifies

Franklin D. Roosevelt, former state senator and now assistant secretary of the navy arrived here today in answer to a summons from the Roosevelt counsel. Mr. Roosevelt was to testify regarding a deadlock in the senate which ultimately resulted in selecting James A. O'Gorman to represent the state of New York in the United States senate. Mr. Roosevelt, a democrat, was the leader of an insurgent movement in the state senate at that time.

William Lyon of the J. B. Lyon company of Albany was recalled after a conference between counsel and Justice Andrews. He said he had the stubs of checks from 1910 to 1914 but had been unable to find any stubs of earlier date.

This minute book was the same as that referred to yesterday by Charles M. Winchester of the Lyon company.

Mr. Winchester was recalled after Mr. Lyon was excused. He produced the cost book of the Lyon company which was asked for yesterday.

Mr. Winchester was asked to tell the court of a particular job of printing done in 1909. He said it would be a tremendous undertaking to compute the cost without the 1909 cost books. He was told to get them and return to the court this afternoon.

Secretary Foster Recalled

F. C. Foster, secretary of the state printing board who testified yesterday, was recalled today. The examination by counsel for Col. Roosevelt was to show that in 1909 the legislative printing contract was awarded to Oliver A. Quayle of Albany as the lowest bidder; that the witness knew Quayle had no printing plant although the contract signed by the attorney general, comptroller and secretary of state declared that Quayle had the best facilities and that later the contract was transferred to Charles M. Winchester and the J. B. Lyon company. This contract was for work amounting to $200,000.

Justice Andrews today signed an order upon the state treasurer to produce forthwith all cancelled checks and vouchers and other evidences of payment to the Albany Journal Co. as payment for printing or publishing the session laws as a "state paper" and as a "county paper."

An order upon the secretary of state

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CEMETERY COMMISSION NAMED BY THE MAYOR

City Council Holds Lively Meeting—Charlie Morse and Frank Mallorey in Fiery Tilt

At the regular meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon, the mayor read his appointments to the new cemetery commission as follows: John L. Robertson, 5 years; John A. Osgood, 4 years; Simon B. Harris, 3 years; William H. Rigby, 2 years, and George H. Taylor, 1 year. It is understood that all of the appointees own lots in the Edson cemetery.

The five men appointed by the mayor are lot owners in the Edson cemetery. John L. Robertson is president of the Robertson Furniture Co., John A. Osgood is a well known druggist and a former member of the board of beard of health. Simon B. Harris is president of the Lowell Fish and Game association and is known far and wide as a fearless enforcer of the law. George H. Taylor is secretary of the C. I. Hood Co., and William H. Rigby is assistant superintendent of the Merrimack print works.

The proposals for cement for sewers and streets raised some ructions and were debated for two hours or more. The cement proposals included those of D. T. Sullivan and E. A. Wilson. The Wilson contract was thrown out and the Sullivan contract, calling for 5800 barrels, more or less, of Portland Lehigh cement, was adopted. The Wilson contract called for 500 barrels.

The real pepperino of the meeting came just prior to adjournment when Commissioner Morse and Frank Mallorey had a verbal clash that gave promise of something more serious. The situation was assuming rather dangerous proportions when the mayor's call for order spread the charm of peace.

The Meeting

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.20 with all members present. The first business had to do with garage and gasoline licenses, which were referred to Commissioner Carmichael and the chief of the fire department.

Petitions by the Lowell Electric

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21,500 RUSSIANS WERE CAPTURED

Allied Troops 33 Miles From Smyrna—Battle Near Ypres—Another British Ship Lost—Germans Attempt to Keep Italy Out of the War—How Austrians Defeated Russians

The Russians lost 21,500 prisoners to the Germans and Austrians in the recent heavy fighting in Galicia, according to an official statement given out at Berlin today. This is the engagement in which the Germans and Austrians claim a notable victory. In addition to the men captured the Teutonic allies took 16 pieces of artillery, 47 machine guns and a large quantity of war material.

British Troops Advance

British troops are now advancing into the interior of Gallipoli peninsula according to an official statement issued in London this evening.

Allies Near Smyrna

Invasion of Turkish territory on the mainland in Asia is reported officially to have been begun by the allied forces. An Athens despatch says that troops were landed at a point 35 miles from Smyrna. It is also said the bombardment of Smyrna has been resumed and that the shelling of the Turkish forts at the Dardanelles continues.

German Attack Near Ypres

The official French report of today states that another attack on the British positions near Ypres, Belgium, was made yesterday by the Germans. The attack, it is said, was driven back. The French war office also announces that ground was gained as the result of an assault on German positions in the Argonne near Bagatelle.

Cost of the War

The cost of a year or more of war to Great Britain was estimated by David Lloyd George in presenting the budget to the house of commons at $5,682,170,000.

Another British Steamer Sunk

The new submarine campaign of the Germans is being prosecuted with undiminished activity. The British steamer Minterne with a cargo of coal for the River Platt was attacked off Scilly Islands with the loss of two lives.

Investigate Sinking of U. S. Ship

The American embassy at London has arranged for an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight for the purpose of making a report to Washington.

Try to Keep Italy Neutral

Italy has postponed again her decl-

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ITALY ON BRINK OF WAR

King and Ministers Cannot Leave Capital to Attend Unveiling of Garibaldi Monument

ROME, May 4—In view of the international situation the king and his ministers cannot leave the capital to be present at the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument at Quarto Sant 'Elena, was the text of a note issued after the meeting of the cabinet yesterday. Its publication produced a profound effect upon public opinion.

Abandonment of the plan for the participation of King Victor Emmanuel and high government officials in the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling is believed to have been the result of the call made by Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador upon Foreign Minister Sonnino Sunday night. The details of this conference are supposed to have been presented at the meeting of the cabinet, the call for which was not issued until yesterday morning. The ministers assembled nine hours later and the council lasted four hours.

Immediately after the council closed Baron Sonnino, who had called upon the king before the session opened, went to the consulate, where the first secretary of the German embassy awaited him. After receiving a verbal communication from the baron, the secretary hastened to the villa Malta, the private residence of Prince Von Buelow, while Foreign Minister Sonnino called upon the king for a second time.

The censors have forbidden the transmission of all comment upon yesterday's events. Correspondents are permitted to say, however, that Prince Von Buelow made new proposals Saturday night to Baron Sonnino, which were submitted to the cabinet ministers, who will hold another council today.

The press is unanimous in declaring the abandonment of the king's trip to Quarto has in no way altered the government's decisions. A semi-official note couched in vague general terms says:

"Italy's attitude cannot undergo any change from the king's not going to Quarto."

It is recalled that when committees arranging for the dedication of the monument called upon his majesty to invite him to be present at the ceremonies he answered: "I shall go if reasons of state do not prevent me."

An official of the foreign office is reported to have stated that the government's decision was due entirely to the situation in Tripoli, where "Italy might be forced to extreme measures to protect our colony where German agents are fomenting rebellion."

A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The accounts of dances held quarter of a century ago are interesting for many reasons, not the least being that they give the younger generation an idea as to who was who on the waxed floor before the days of the tango, and often one reads a familiar name, among the dancers of days gone by, the owner of which today has unmistakeable kinks in his walk, as though he had never pivotted on the polished surface until a hole in the floor began to appear and then went home to hum the "Blue Danube" in his sleep. Of course I mean nothing personal in publishing in connection with the foregoing the old Sun's report of the annual ball of the Burke Temperance society of quarter of a century ago.

The old Sun said:

"The sixth anniversary ball given by the Burke Temperance society in Huntington hall, last evening, was one of the most successful in the history of the society. The hall was uncomfortably thronged, 1500 being a low estimate of the number present. Prior to the ball which was complimentary to the members, 92 new members were received into the society. The American orchestra furnished music for a dance order of 24 numbers and gave a concert program from 8 till 9. Over 360 couples took part in the march and there would have been more had there been room. It was led by Floor Director James J. Redmond and Miss Lottie Donahue followed by James F. Miskella and sister. There were many invited guests, among them being His Honor, Mayor Palmer, James O'Sullivan, of St. Patrick's Temperance society; M. J. Lynch, of the Mathews, J. B. O'Connor, of St. Peter's; R. J. Walsh, of the Crescents; William H. Stafford, of Court Merrimack, F. of A.; M. F. Conley, of Court General Shields; J. H. Sheehan, of Court Middlesex; E. F. Slattery, of Court City of Lowell and Thomas Daly, of the Neptunes. Among the guests from out of town were: Miss Wagstaff, Miss Creighton and Miss Dacey, of Lawrence; Messrs. Henry Flanagan, Thomas E. Barry, F. J. Morris, John A. McGrath; James O'Connor, William Morris, Timothy Callaghan, Stephen Flanagan, William Dempsey, Luke Larter, and John A. O'Brien, of the Young Men's Temperance society of Lawrence; Messrs. Wm. Quigley, Jas. W. Ward, Henry McKeon and T. J. Lyons, of St. John's Temperance society, North Chelmsford; J. W. Conway, Timothy Mahoney and William Powers, of North Billerica; John Keane, of the Fr. Mathews of Lawrence; and a large delegation from Lynn. Supper was served by Page & Nunn. The following were the officers: Floor director, James J. Redmond, assistant, Richard J. Lynn; aids, T. F. Clark, J. Liston; J. Breen, J. Leroy, J. J. O'Connor, J. F. McManus, J. F. McGarrahan, J. Daily; general manager, James F. Miskella; assistant, John F. McLoughlin; reception committee, P. J. O'Hare, Thomas Cox, James A. Malar, J. H. Gormley, J. McGuinness, E. W. Kelly, W. Dwyer, W. H. Stafford, F. J. Dowd, J. Winn, J. Murphy, J. McVey, J. E. Sexton and J. McCaffrey, secretary."

What Mrs. Miller Advocated

I am not an expert on women's wearing apparel but I will venture a wager that Mrs. Jenness Miller, who lectured here quarter of a century ago on dress reform didn't make many converts in this city. Mrs. Miller's lecture was reported in the old Sun as follows: "Mrs. Jenness Miller lectured in the Opera House last evening on the subject of dress reform. She prefaced her discourse with remarks on the necessity of physical development among women. The object of dress, she said, is to cover the body with harmony and without ligatures or bands. She condemned the use of corsets as injurious. The Jenness Miller system of dress (according to the old Sun), consists first of an undergarment made of various materials, fitting the form perfectly. Over this garment, women who need support wear a boned waist. The next garment is one coming down to, or a little below the knee, fitting closely at the waist. Over this is worn a divided skirt which is so full that one casually looking at it would not realize that it is so different from the ordinary one. The advantage of this skirt is that it reduces the resistance in walking, is lighter and enables the wearer to have more freedom of movement than at present."

As far as I can remember the Miller make-up didn't become popular in Lowell.

A Monster Attachment

One of the largest attachments ever placed in Lowell was that of [illegible] against the Lowell machine shop [illegible] years ago. The suit was brought by the heirs of John F. Foslick, for an infringement on a patent held by [illegible] by Mr. Foslick. The company admitted having used the patent but took it up 12 years after the original patent had expired.

More Silver Jubilees

There's a silver jubilee at the Vesper club due next Saturday to several well known men of this city, for The Sun of quarter of a century ago had the following.

"A regular meeting of the Vesper Boat club was held Thursday evening, (May 8) when the following new members were admitted: Edward F. Staples, Julian Clark Hood, William D. Rundlett, Walter C. Wright, H. Forslyce Coburn, Fred W. Coburn, John H. Fuller, Harry L. Standley, Arthur D. Pickering; non-residents, Harry G. Bixby, Nashua; and George A. Clay, Waltham.

Joined National Organization

It's just 25 years since the local letter carriers joined the national organization, having themselves at that time but recently organized.

The old Sun said:

"The local letter carriers have joined the national association and have elected the following officers: E. A. Howe, president; John L. Marren, vice-president; Frederick Taylor, secretary; John J. Donnelly, treasurer; T. J. McNabb, D. Crowley, J. Sullivan, Thomas Daily and C. Holden, board of government. This branch will be known as association 25. Meetings will be held monthly. A national convention will be held in Boston in August."

Dan Cosgrove Assaulted

Don't become alarmed. This happened quarter of a century ago and the victim entirely recovered. The old Sun had the following disquieting item 25 years ago:

"Daniel Cosgrove was assaulted by roughs in Appleton street last evening. Two of them were subsequently arrested."

They must have been rough-necks, indeed, to assault a man of peace like Daniel. Those were the days before Daniel entered politics. Since that time he has been in many a lively political assault, generally coming through with flying colors.

Different From The Old Days

In yesterday's papers we read of the superintendent of police and others following the boulevards in the new police auto Sunday on the trail of speeding joy-riders. How different from quarter of a century ago when the old Sun had the following:

"Already some Lowell youths have been hauled up by the Lawrence police for fast driving in that city. They went there for a drink, imbibed too freely and paid heavy fines in the police court next day."

Twenty-five years ago everybody didn't wear a Ford run about on his watch chain and the young man who had [illegible] and the price to [illegible] joy-riding considered himself lucky to be able to hire a horse and buggy, and the favorite drive in those days was down the Lawrence road to the down-river city. The test of a horse long ago was the speed with which it could negotiate the distance between here and Lawrence, and I believe it was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Moody School Flag

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[illegible] is Cabot Lowell, who introduced the manufacture of cotton in this country and city, but at the [illegible] of Mr. Lowell found that he couldn't put his great scheme into operation without the aid of a mechanical genius and that genius was Paul Moody. Mr. Moody was born in Amesbury in 1777, and became well known as a manufacturer in that town, in connection with Ezra Worthen, who also has a school and a street named after him. Mr. Lowell secured the services of Mr. Moody and they started in business in Waltham. Then Messrs. Lowell and Moody got together and invented the double-speeder for spinning, while Mr. Moody's peculiar invention was the [illegible] and began spinning and weaving under the same roof. It was Mr. Moody who discovered the possibilities of the Pawtucket canal, with his friend Worthen and through their efforts the company was formed that took control of the water power of the Merrimack river. In 1822 the Merrimack Manufacturing company was started here with an original capital of $600,000 and its first business was to erect the dam at Pawtucket falls and to widen and deepen the Pawtucket canal. Five hundred men were employed on the work. Mr. Moody removed here from Waltham in 1823 and took charge of the company's machine shop which was completed at a cost of [illegible], and he was in charge eight years when he died, July 7, 1831. Born and bred a mechanic he was also a gentleman and a scholar.

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ULTIMATUM TO CHINA

JAPAN TO URGE RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION TO MAKE NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS

TOKIO, May 4.—Minister of Justice Ozaki is quoted by the newspapers as having announced that the cabinet had decided to send an ultimatum to China urging her to reconsider the decision to make no further concessions to Japan.

It is explained in official circles that Japan has no desire to resort to force, but that China must be made to realize that this country is determined upon the acceptance of its program for solidifying the peace of the Orient."

The press considers the ultimatum a proper step. The Nichi Nichi believes that if China refuses to yield Japan should occupy [illegible] like Sauchang [illegible] [illegible]. "This [illegible] would not constitute a violation of China's integrity, since its sole aim would be to ensure the integrity of the country."

[illegible] in some circles that China may send word at the last minute that additional concessions are possible and in this way avert the ultimatum.

CHINO-JAPANESE NEGOTIATIONS

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TO WED STENOGRAPHER

John H. Eccles, 72, of Somerville, to Marry Mrs. Alice W. Eccles, 55, of Boston.

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THE LADY'S WORKBAG

If you wish to shrink goods before making a garment fold the goods through the center, laying the selvedges together and crease through the centre. Put the goods into a tub of water, and then throw it, dripping wet, without wringing over a long straight line, having the fold come on the line and pin frequently.

The cloth will not need ironing, as the weight of the water makes it smooth and straight. The selvedges are also kept nice and straight, thus making it easier to cut out the garment than if the cloth had to be ironed.

Sometimes a perfectly good dress will shrink in the washing, and in letting out the hem the edges will be found much worn. A good idea is to cut off the hem and put in a row of insertion or wash braid, then add the hem and face it up as far as the insertion.

The cross-stitch, with all the romantic touches that time has given it, is with us again as never before. It comes in revivals of old, and in original forms, but no matter how it appears, it possesses an endearing charm.

Who does not remember the cross-stitch bookmark? Pedantic to a fault, it epitomized some sentiment of puritanical colonial days. "Read and mark it well," is an old bookmark motto that at least shows a leaning toward levity rather startling for such a pumpless clan as the dear old Pilgrim fathers, yet it originated with them, and is revived today in "Frenchy" colors pink or blue, or vice versa.

Then there are backs of after-dinner coffee trays done in cross-stitch. These are on linen of course, covered with glass and and enframed with an oval or an oblong of mahogany. Brass handles on the sides or ends give the only additional useful ornamental touch.

A boudoir cap can be made of a man's handkerchief and val lace. Stitch the val insertion in some fanciful design on the handkerchief, or trim it by merely sewing the lace from side to side, forming a cross; now cut out the material underneath the lace and round the corners.

Gather the crown into an inch wide headband of lawn. Ruffle an edge of narrow lace to the top of the band and another to the lower edge and then add two small bunches of ribbon rosebuds at each side of the cap. A white hat elastic run through the headband will make the cap adjustable to any head size.

Handy night pockets used to hold a handkerchief, watch, cough drops, or whatever one wishes handy, are made from an eleven-inch strip of linen, folded up three-fourths of the length. The upper edge is turned over and stitched to form a casing through which a piece of feather bone is slipped. This holds the pocket taut, so that it will not fall together when anything is placed in it. A length of ribbon is fastened at each end of the upper edge.

Now is the time when the "forehanded" woman is getting some of her sewing done. Before making up the colored wash materials she shrinks them and "sets" the colors. Green and lavender materials will retain their coloring, unhurt by laundry work, if they are soaked first fifteen minutes in about two gallons of cold water to which a cupful of strong vinegar has been added.

Salted water or water to which turpentine has been added will set pinks and blues. Colored silk stockings may be successfully washed by following the same rules.

If you rub a bit of dry soap across the new spool of silk, you will not be bothered by having the silk unwind too quickly when threaded into the machine.

Do the needleworkers realize what pretty articles may be fashioned of odds and ends of material? Never throw anything away, but keep it in your scrap box ready for use when required. A very pretty bow for a gift was made of a piece of satin ribbon ten or eleven inches long; sew the ends and turn them to form points, fold the ribbon so that one end hangs over the other, and gather across about an inch below the fold, drawing up and fastening.

Take a bit of coronation-braid and form into five loops of three rolls, each which gives a square petal, like a wild rose, set firmly in the center, and cover with a circle of small beads, surrounding a larger one or a small, fancy button.

Attach one of these ornaments to each tab a little above the point, and see if you are not pleased with the result obtained from a few "scraps" and a little time spent in working on them.

A napkin case would be a help in keeping the linen drawer in perfect order. Whether the case is elaborately embroidered or merely marked with a single cross-stitched initial the method of making the case is the same.

Two strips of linen, a little wider than a folded napkin, are crossed in the center, after first being pointed at both ends and bound or buttonhold. The three sides of the crossed pieces are securely stitched, the one side being left open so that a piece of cardboard can be slipped in place. This will hold the bottom of the case firm. Place the napkins on the base, fold the two ends over and fasten, then fold the other sides over the top and secure with snap fasteners.

For a quickly made case a heavy quality of cream linen, bound with blue tape, secured with snap fasteners, with the owner's initials in blue cross-stitch, would be most attractive. A case for the table cloth may be found in the same way, excepting that it should be oblong in shape. This offers a suggestion for an attractive way to give a bridal gift of table linen.

NO-LICENSE CAMPAIGN

Worcester Ministerial League Favors Action—Resolution to Be Taken at Federation Session

WORESTER, May 4.—Worcester Ministerial league adopted the following resolution yesterday:

"Resolved, That it is the unanimous sentiment of the Worcester Ministers league that a no-license campaign be undertaken in our city this year, and that the campaign be undertaken by the Worcester Interchurch Federation in cooperation with other no-license and temperance organizations in the city."

The resolution will be reported at the annual meeting of the Interchurch Federation on May 27.

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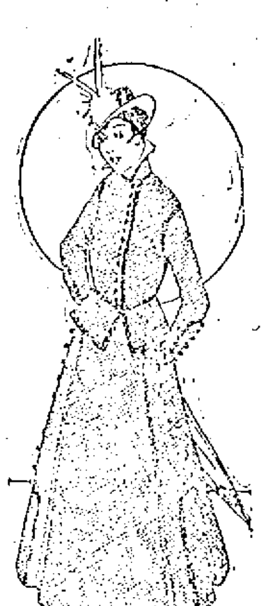

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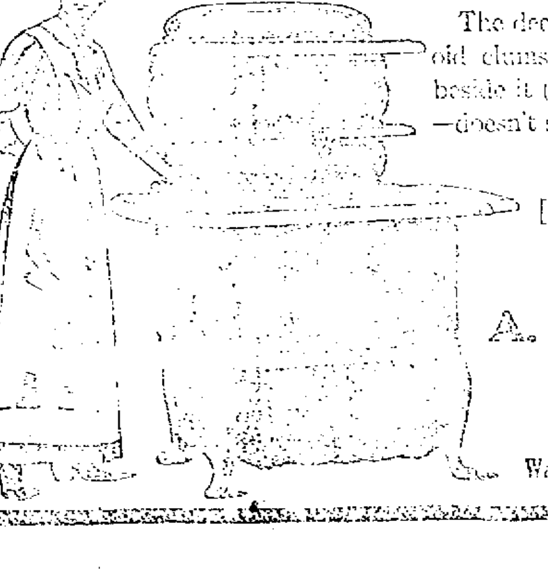

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Senate Passes Boston & Maine Measure — House Passes the "Clean Milk" Bill

BOSTON, May 4.—The state senate yesterday, by a vote of 29 to 8, passed to be engrossed the bill for the reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad. This stage is the final one in the senate, unless the very unusual step of trying to defeat the bill on its enactment is taken. The bill will now go to the house.

The senate passed the bill practically as it was reported from the committee on railroads. Various amendments were offered, but the only ones adopted were those offered by Senator Hobbs, the chairman of that committee, and a minor one proposed by Senator McLane. The senate plainly showed that it was disposed to abide by the judgment of members who have spent so much time in the consideration of the act.

Senator Hobbs, beginning the debate on the bill, made a comprehensive and lucid statement of the reasons for the legislation and the objects which the bill was designed to accomplish. The fundamental and essential things were, he said, to enable the Boston & Maine to escape from its present difficulties by a consolidation with the companies which it now leases, and to authorize the Boston & Maine to fund its floating debt; the road probably could not fund its debt at present because its financial condition was so unfavorable that people would not invest in its securities.

The bill, he said, gave the road a chance to sell its paper, or, if that result could not be had, to call on its stockholders for the funds needed to get rid of this debt.

Relief for the Trustees

The first of the Hobbs amendments provides in brief that the trustees shall not be compelled to go to the public service commission for its approval of every use they may propose to make of the money received from the sale of stock, but that if the public service commission subsequently finds that any money was used for purposes not properly capitalizable, the amount so expended shall be charged against the premiums heretofore realized from the sale of stock.

Another of Senator Hobbs' amendments strikes out the clause which would give the public service commission, after it has validated the proposed issues of new capital, authority to say in effect that the rates of the company need not be put high enough to earn dividends on such stock.

Limiting Directors

The senate adopted an amendment, proposed by Senator McLane, which provides that a director of the Boston & Maine may not be a director of any other railroad in the commonwealth, and also that the Boston & Maine may not purchase materials or supplies from any director of that road, or from the director of any other railroad in the state.

Spotters' Bill Unconstitutional

The supreme court sent down in reply to questions submitted by the senate an opinion that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. This bill is known as the "Railroad spotters" bill; it provides that if any person gives information which may lead to the disciplining or discharge of the employe of a railroad, such employe must not be disciplined or discharged until he has had opportunity to make a statement in the presence of the person giving the information.

The opinion, a majority one, answers three questions asked by the senate. The majority say: First, that the legislature may not enact legislation limiting the right of railroad corporations to discharge their employes for cause; second, that the legislature may not give railroad employes as a class privileges not enjoyed by the rest of the community; third, that senate bill 537 is unconstitutional. The opinion is signed by Justices Rugg, Braley, DeCourcy, Pierce and Carroll.

Justices Loring and Crosby transmitted a dissenting opinion. They say that they subscribe to the answer to the second question; that they prefer not to express an opinion upon a matter which it is not necessary to consider in order to answer fully the questions asked and therefore they express no opinion on the second question, although they do not intend to throw doubt on the answer; that they subscribe to the answer to the third question.

The senate ordered that the opinion be printed, and further consideration of the bill was postponed.

Registration of Physicians

When the bill for the registration of physicians came up, the senate, by a vote of 18 to 6, substituted a bill which contained a section authorizing herb doctors to practice; this provision is identical with a bill which the house has rejected.

The rest of the bill which the senate engrossed yesterday does not differ materially from the one reported by the committee on public health; it provides that no one can take the examination to be registered as a physician unless he has obtained the degree of M. D. from a school authorized to confer that degree.

The bill repealing the act which forbids the carrying of red flags in public processions was, without debate or division, passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring judges of superior, district and municipal courts to visit at least once a year the penal institutions to which they may sentence prisoners was rejected without debate.

Highway Bill Called a Grab

Senator Hays made a long and spirited argument against the bill authorizing the expenditure of $2,000,000 on highways in the five western counties of the state. He characterized the bill as a "grab"—a word which some of the senators at first took to be "graft"—and said it would cost Boston ultimately about $1,000,000 and the other large cities in proportion.

Protests Against Bill

Two circulars of protest against the Boston & Maine railroad reorganization bill have been sent to each member of the Massachusetts legislature by C. W. Crooker, attorney for William B. Lawrence, trustee for a large block of Boston & Maine stock.

House of Representatives

The original bill to prohibit the sale or delivery of milk produced under unsanitary conditions was passed to be engrossed, 149 to 68, by the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday, after a lengthy debate. In fact the bill was rejected on a standing vote by 61 to 76, but the action was reversed on a rollcall.

There was three-quarters of an hour delay in securing a quorum because many members were attending the private view of "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. Pfeiffer of Bedford moved to substitute for the so called "clean milk" bill one calling for state health board supervision, as originally provided, but allowing the farmer to resume business upon a certificate from the department of animal industry. Mr. Chapman of Ludlow opposed both bills and criticised the methods which he charged were employed to secure support.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly was surprised, he said, that the farmers should "cry baby." Their constant plea, he said had been for an opportunity for improvement before prosecution, and yet when a bill giving just that is presented, they oppose it. He said the Pfeiffer bil only put into the hands of the department of animal industry what was purely a health matter.

Coburn of Dracut

An amendment to the first bill was offered by Mr. Coburn of Dracut, providing 24 hours' notice before prosecution which was adopted on a voice vote. The Pfeiffer bill was rejected on a standing vote, 63 to 59 and a rollcall refused. The original "Clean Milk" bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Ruling on Teachers' Bill

Atty. Gen. Henry C. Attwill yesterday sent to the Massachusetts house of representatives his opinion on the bill providing that applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools shall not be asked as to their religious belief. He holds that the bill is unconstitutional at present, but that the amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney would provide authority to enact the bill, without violating the constitution.

The Lomasney amendment strikes out the above provision and substitutes one that such appointments shall not be affected by political or religious opinions or affiliations.

LICENSE TO FERNCROFT

DESPITE REVELATIONS MADE BY TOODLES RYAN, PRIVILEGE IS GRANTED TO SELL LIQUOR

BOSTON, May 4.—Despite the "revelations" made by "Toodles" Ryan in her breach of promise suit against Harry K. Mansfield, proprietor of the Ferncroft Inn, the selectmen of Middleton voted to renew the license of that resort for another year and it is now doing business at the same stand.

Three licenses were issued to the inn. First class for $1500, fourth class for $100 and a club license for $500.

The affairs of the Ferncroft Inn were brought into the "Toodles" case when the woman alleged that Mansfield had cleaned up $325,000 in the past three years.

GETS FULL BACK PAY

BOSTON, May 4.—Police Captain Robert R. Perry, the Somerville veteran captain who was retired against his will last June on half pay and was recently reinstated by order of the court, went to the office of the city treasurer of Somerville yesterday and was given $1285.47, which represents full pay from June, 1914, to April 3 of this year. He had kept all his checks for half pay which were sent to him while he was retired, and these he returned when receiving the full pay checks.

THE SICKABED LADY

Fresh air being the best of all medicines, nurse says, you should learn how to take it. There is only one proper way, and that is by deep breathing. And deep breathing means breathing that way all of the time, not merely once or twice a day when you happen to think of it.

The ideal deep breath is the kind you get once in a while when you yawn, and should give you much the same sense of pleasure that such a breath does. No one can sleep in a hot, poorly ventilated room and be in condition to resist cold contagion. You are safer in a room with the mercury at thirty than in one with the mercury at eighty.

In a bedroom with but one window, raise the window, raise the window, raise the window, slightly at the bottom and lower it correspondingly at the top. If there are more than one window, raise one and lower another at the top. When windows are on but one side of the room a transom should be opened or a door left ajar to help the circulation of air when the wind is not blowing directly on the windows.

Nurse quoted some very good rules for new mothers regarding the baby. She says, mother's milk is nature's food, and no other food is as good. The chances of your baby living are nine times greater on breast milk than cow's milk or any other kind of food. Even though you have but little milk at first do not get discouraged; be patient and try, try again.

There are very few mothers whose breasts will not give sufficient milk if they will but encourage the baby to suck. This keeps the milk flowing and increases its flow. Even though you feel weak, you can nurse your baby without danger to yourself. Only a few diseases forbid nursing.

If you are in doubt consult your doctor; his advice is better than that of your neighbors. Nurse your baby until the tenth month. If you really cannot nurse him as long, give him your milk as long as you can, for every drop he gets adds to his strength for his hard fight in life as no other food does or ever will. Drink plenty of water, but avoid tea, coffee and beer.

Nurse says much illness among children can be traced directly to the lack of personal supervision by the mistress of careless or unthinking servants. In no respect is this more clearly shown than in the care of milk in the kitchen.

The only absolute safeguard for the mother anxious about her little invalid or weakly child will be found to lie in the filtering of milk through clean absorbant cotton immediately upon its arrival and then heating it to a degree high enough to kill the lurking germs of contagion that may be found.

This is a subject that certainly demands the constant consideration of social reformers. It is not generally known that, as a rule, the ordinary marketable milk sold in many large cities is practically unfit for use as the food for an infant, when considered from the standpoint of the time that has elapsed between milking and serving.

Contagious diseases, says nurse, are caused by minute living germs. The object of disinfection is to destroy these. In order that as few articles as possible shall be exposed to infection by the disease germs, at the very beginning of the illness all unnecessary furniture and other unnecessary articles, should be removed from the sickroom.

The following are two best-known disinfectants: Carbolic acid—standard solution No. 1 is composed of six ounces of carbolic acid, dissolved in one gallon of hot water. This makes approximately a five per cent. solution of carbolic acid. Great care must be taken that the pure acid does not come in contact with the skin. When practicable, the carbolic solution should be used as hot as possible.

Corrosive sublimate (bichloride of mercury)—standard solution No. 2 is composed of sixty grains of pulverized corrosive sublimate and sixty grains of chloride of ammonia, dissolved in one gallon of water. This solution must be kept in glass, or wooden vessels (not in metal vessels). These solutions are very poisonous when taken by mouth, but are harmless when used externally.

For the outdoor season nurse thinks it important that her friends know of cures for bee stings and ivy poison. In case a piece of the sting of a bee, she says, remains in the wound, extract it with the fingers or a small pair of tweezers. The best application for the inflammation is diluted ammonia water, after which a cloth covered with sweet oil should be placed upon the part.

For ivy poison take either a Seidlitz powder or rochelle salts, and eat only light, cooling things. Apply the following lotion locally.

Precipitated carbonated zinc, 4 drams; oxide of zinc, 2 drams; glycerine, 2 drams; rosewater, 8 ozs.

Defective teeth are a threat to health by reason of impairment of mastication and consequently of digestion. There is no difference of opinion concerning the value of good teeth properly used in the preparation of food for the digestive process.

While the vigorous stomach may attack particles of food of considerable size and resistance, the process of digestion is naturally slowed up in proportion to the magnitude and firmness of the unground particles. In addition to this, the admixture of healthy saliva to the food during the process of mastication is of no little consequence, especially in the digestion of starch.

Thus defective teeth are not only injurious by reason of imperfect mastication, but likewise by reason of a failure to properly incorporate the saliva with the finely divided particles of food while it is still in the mouth.

A MIDNIGHT FIRE

Blaze Discovered in the Whitall Mfg. Plant in the Danger District

The prompt discovery of a fire in a brick building owned by the Whitall Manufacturing Co. and located at the corner of Rock and Willie streets, by Patrolman Deering, shortly before 12 o'clock last night, prevented what would have undoubtedly developed into a disastrous blaze. An alarm from box 17 summoned the fire department to the spot in quick time.

The fire started in a cuspidor on the second floor of the building and it quickly communicated to the walls and floor. The firemen extinguished the blaze by use of chemicals, thus preventing any loss by fire.

BOY STOPS A BURGLAR

BROKE UP AN ATTEMPTED DAYLIGHT LOOTING OF HIS HOME AND CAPTURED ONE MAN

BOSTON, May 4.—John Conley, 19-year-old son of Edward P. Conley, who lives in Suite 1, 12 Roswell street, Roxbury, broke up an attempted daylight looting of his home yesterday afternoon and chased one of the men who had entered the apartment until, with the assistance of a special policeman, he captured him.

The robbery was attempted by two men assisted apparently by a young woman confederate, and in spite of young Conley's interference they succeeded in making away with a gold watch belonging to the elder Conley, who is a machinist.

Young Conley was returning to his home about 2.15 yesterday afternoon when he saw two men entering the place. He hurried after them as fast as he could and found them inside. He immediately grappled with them, and a tussle followed.

Both men broke for the door. Conley hung onto one of the pair, who, when captured later, gave the name of James Dwyer and his address as 11 Dana street, Roxbury.

Dwyer dragged Conley outside and got away from him. Conley saw him apparently pass something to a young woman who stood on the sidewalk and then run.

Conley chased Dwyer for several blocks until he met Special Policeman Kerrigan, in plain clothes, and between them they caught Dwyer and overpowered him. He was locked up on the charge of breaking and entering and the larceny of a watch.

FOR ASSAULTING WIFE

J. H. EHLER OF GLOUCESTER SENT TO STATE PRISON — LEWIS NOYES CONVICTED

SALEM, May 4.—In the superior court yesterday James H. Ehler of Gloucester pleaded guilty of assault on his wife, Mary Ehler, with intent to murder, and was sentenced by Judge Sanderson to state prison for not less than five nor more than seven years. Evidence was submitted to show that Mrs. Ehler was wounded with a knife in the breast and throat. Her condition is critical.

Lewis Noyes of Newbury, convicted of stealing 12 roosters belonging to Frank Perkins, was sentenced to the house of correction for six months.

Ismael Zilfo of Peabody pleaded guilty of carrying a dangerous weapon and was sentenced to the house of correction for two months.

Michael Apostok of Lynn, convicted of breaking and entering, was committed to the house of correction for six months.

Edward J. Murphy of Lynn, convicted of larceny of shoes, was sentenced to the house of correction for two years.

WHAT ITALY DEMANDS

Said to Covet Chief Seaports of Dual Monarchy—Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 4.—As the price of peace, Italy is reported to be expecting from Austria-Hungary the surrender of the dual monarchy's entire seacoast. These expectations are said to amount to demands as regarding Trent, Triest, Istria and Fiume.

In connection with showing the true significance of such demands, how great is the payment demanded by Italy for her continued neutrality, the National Geographic society, following its description of Triest, issued today a statement dealing with Fiume, the sole seaport of the Kingdom of Hungary. The statement reads:

"Austria-Hungary carries on its business with the outside world through its great ports, Triest and Fiume. The future of its overseas commerce is largely bound up with the development of these cities; for Triest and Fiume are the New York and Boston of Austria-Hungary, or, better, they are the dual monarchy's Hamburg and Bremen. Fiume is the only outlet of the Hungarian kingdom to free water, and the Hungarians have spent millions of dollars in their endeavor to make it a model port. The great Austrian port and the Hungarian port are keen rivals, and, during the last few years, Fiume has grown somewhat at the cost of its northern neighbor.

"Owing to the deep interest which the Hungarians take in their coast city, the business of Fiume has grown rapidly. There are several harbors: one for coasting vessels, one for timber, and a general harbor, begun in 1872, and capable of accommodating about 200 large vessels. It is protected by a breakwater more than half a mile in length, and is flanked by a great modern quay more than two miles long. The wharves and elevators are equipped in the most up-to-date fashion for the handling of a huge inflow and outflow of trade. The water-front, as the rest of the city, is lighted by electricity.

"In 1910, Fiume was entered by 17,850 vessels of 3,031,381 tons. In approximate figures, its business totaled $55,000,000, divided into an export business of $35,000,000 and an import trade of $20,000,000. Its trade is thus about one-half that of the port of San Francisco. Its exports consist chiefly of the agricultural products of Hungary, grain, flour, sugar, timber, horses, and some manufactured wares. The principal imports are coal, wine, rice, various minerals, fruit, jute, chemicals, oils and tobacco. There are several industrial establishments in the city, among them Whitehead's torpedo factory, a large paper-mill, a royal tobacco factory, flour mills, tanneries and rope factories. The fisheries of the city are important, Quarnero Gulf being filled with food fishes.

"Fiume is picturesquely situated at the head of the Gulf of Quarnero, at the southern base of the Istrian triangle, 40 miles southeast of Triest, or about 70 miles away by the railroad through the mountainous coastland. The city has more than 50,000 population. The Italians constitute the largest part of the populace, and, together with the Slavonians, comprise about 90 per cent. Geographically, Fiume belongs to Croatia. In 1870, however, it finally became a part of the Hungarian kingdom. The Italians, who favor the Hungarians as opposed to the Slavonians, are practically in control of the city's administration.

"Fiume occupies seven square miles of land carved out of Croatia. Around its waterfront, there is a narrow, level plain upon which the new town is built, with its convenient, modern ground-plan, fine business structures and generally substantial architecture. The old town climbs the hills back from the shore, straggling in a quaint disorder of irregular, narrow streets and haphazard houses. Views of the city and its surroundings from the deck of an approaching steamer are delightful, and there are a number of pleasant tours to be made in the neighborhood. Fiume has been Austrian since 1471."

TOTAL OF $2000

Big Contribution From Lowell for the Polish Relief Fund

Late yesterday afternoon Rev. A. Ogonowski, pastor of the Holy Trinity church in High street, announced that the money collected in this city on the big day for Poland, held Saturday, reached the amount of $1155.64. Later, however, other contributions were received as follows: Mrs. Lucy E. Kyes of Westford, $5; N. Y. Z. of Lowell, $50, making a total of $1513.64. Fr. Ogonowski said the members of his parish volunteered to contribute the balance to make a round $2000. That is a splendid contribution for one city, collected in a few days.

PROTEST BY 500 GIRLS

NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DENY MORAL LAXITY—RUMOR UNJUST AND UNTRUE

NEWTON, May 4.—A resolution was adopted by 500 girl students in the Newton Classical high school yesterday afternoon protesting against the "injustice and untruthfulness" of the communication which appeared in a local paper last week to the effect that the morals of the students in the schools were rumored to be low.

Considerable indignation has arisen among the parents since the communication was published, and the school authorities are making every effort to determine whether such conditions do exist.

The resolution, which may also be adopted by the students of the Technical high school soon, follows:

"We are drawn together today by one accord by a great wave of just indignation at the injustice done to the Newton high school by the 'rumor' which was published in a local paper last week and copied by some of the Boston dailies to be widely circulated among the community. We are here today to show our confidence in the girls of our schools.

"We all appreciate our splendid teaching force and their interest in us and their careful supervision over us. We appreciate our school and the fine reputation which it bears among graduates and educators, and we are grateful for the advantages and protection of home life while attending school, because we know that the whole sentiment of the young women of this school is sound and wholesome and that their principles and ideals are high.

"Be it resolved, that we make formal protest against the injustice and the untruthfulness of this report."

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IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

THE OUTDOOR BEAUTIFIER

It would seem hardly necessary to warn women about their daily walks after all the things we read in the daily papers and magazines regarding the beneficial effects on beauty and health derived from the daily walk.

In my acquaintance of friends I can count at least five women who would prefer to sit in their home all during the splendid spring days than bother to dress and romp out in the sunshine. It is very possible that this habit has become chronic and the effort of dressing is considered a task.

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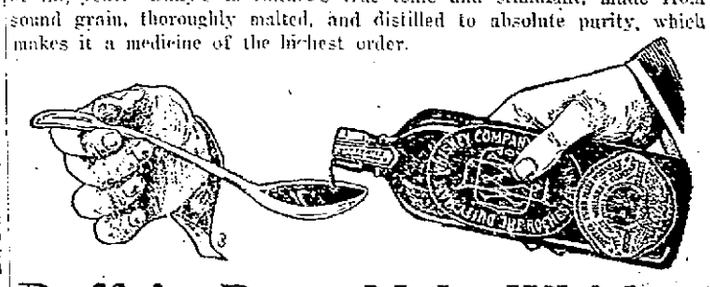

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with its prescribed advice of a tablespoonful in water before meals and on going to bed, gently stimulates the stomach to healthy action, improving the digestion and assimilation of food, and in this way enriches the blood and brings strength and vigor to the system. If you feel "all tired out," these days, after the trying months of winter have sapped your strength, you should "Get Duffy's and keep well," just as thousands of others do. It's a medicine for all mankind which will help to give you new health, new strength, new vitality and new life. Because Duffy's assists nature, you should try it today.

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BOLD ATTEMPT TO KILL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—Charles E. Sebastian, suspended chief of police and candidate for the mayoralty nomination at today's primary election, was the object of an attempted assassination last night. He was sitting in the front room of his residence talking to J. C. Royer, who was a witness in his behalf at Sebastian's trial yesterday on charges of immorality.

About 12 o'clock the telephone bell rang and the chief answered it, talking for about ten minutes. The person at the other end of the wire professed to be a friend of Sebastian and made inquiries about how to mark his ballot in the election.

Returning to the room where he had left Royer, Sebastian was about to sit down when a shot was fired and a bullet crashed through the window, whizzing directly over the chair in which Sebastian had been sitting. Immediately afterward another bullet crashed through the window and lodged in a book lying on a table in the center of the room.

Neighbors attracted by the shots said they saw a man wearing a light overcoat and carrying a satchel run from the rear of the house. About an hour before the shooting neighbors also said they had seen two men lurking in the shadow of the porch of the Sebastian home.

Sebastian has alleged that the charges involving his morality were the outcome of a political plot hatched when he announced himself as a candidate for mayor.

Fred J. Whiffen, president of the city council and Ralph Crisswell, socialist, appeared to be Sebastian's most formidable opponents at today's primaries.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Election of Officers and Annual Report Showing Principal Activities of the Year

The twenty-first club year of the Middlesex Women's club was brought to a close yesterday afternoon with the election of officers and the reading of reports. Miss Grace Ward, who has served the club as president so ably and faithfully for the past three years, could not again be constitutionally elected and she retired to the evident regret of the members. Mrs. Charles S. Proctor was elected in her place, and the following ballot, prepared by the nominating committee, was accepted with no nominations from the floor.

President, Mrs. Ida H. Proctor.

Vice presidents, Miss Susie L. D. Watson, Mrs. Ishbel A. Stearns, Miss M. Maude Lancaster.

Recording secretary, Miss Mary A. Shattuck.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Annie K. Greene.

Treasurer, Mrs. Annie B. Robertson.

Chairman of finance, Mrs Emma F. Thompson.

Directors, Mrs. Julia M. Chadwick, Mrs. Gertrude J. Washburn, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney.

Reports of the March business meeting and the annual report of the recording secretary were read by Miss Mary A. Shattuck, and the report of the treasurer was read by Mrs. S. H. Thompson, chairman of finance. The report of the correspondence secretary, Mrs. Harvey B. Greene, showed that the full membership is 700 with 66

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IN POLICE COURT

Larceny of two pairs of shoes valued at three dollars from an unknown person was the complaint preferred against John Smith of South Boston, when the latter was arraigned before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. Clerk Trull asked John to give the court his right name, but the defendant said it was Smith, and pleaded not guilty to the complaint. At the request of Deputy Downey the case was continued until Friday for trial.

James Clark was arrested for drunkenness last night. He was under a suspended sentence and the court ordered the suspension revoked and Clark will spend the next four months in the house of correction.

Sent to Jail

Lester Bent, who was released yesterday morning by Probation Officer Slattery on his first offense, could not abstain from intoxicants and he again pleaded guilty to being drunk, having been arrested a few hours after his release. Three other second offenders were given sentences of one month in jail.

Mentally Deranged

The case of Thomas McCaffrey, charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime and larceny of over $100 worth of jewelry from Henry Lavallee's store on Merrimack street, did not come up for trial this forenoon as the defendant had been pronounced mentally deranged.

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TEA, 40c grade, Ceylon, lb. 25c | COFFEE, Golden Santos, lb 15c

BUTTER Saunders' Special Creamery, sweet as a nut, Salted just right. Don't pay 31c to 33c elsewhere, lb..... 29c

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LOBSTERS Large No. 1, Strong, Live, lb. 17c — 3 to 9 p. m.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The batting average of the mills and factories of this city still continues high.

The Building laborers' union has a meeting scheduled for tonight at Trades and Labor hall.

The Carpenters' union, local 49, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the Runels building.

The Tailors' union will meet tonight in the small hall at the Trades and Labor headquarters in Middle street.

Morton Walker, head advertising man for the J. L. Challoner Co. is not in favor of the "jitney bus," although he owns a gasoline car.

Dick Preston says "no tickets back" at the coming dancing party to be conducted by the employes of the Mears Adams packing department.

Many employes of shoe shops who had been working but mornings up until a few weeks ago were able to average from $10 to $12 a week.

The fellow who has been out of work all winter must feel about as happy as a wounded soldier invalided home from the front—both thank their stars it's over.

A big meeting of the ringspinner fixers and carder fixers is scheduled for Thursday night when steps will be taken to amalgamate both branches into a single labor organization.

The shoe industry has taken a new lease of life and other business seems to have felt an impetus. All the shoe industries of this city are working better at the present time than they have all year.

The Concord B. & M. bowling five won from the Lowell B. & M. team on a Nashua alley recently by a big margin. W. Chadwick was the high man on the Lowell aggregation, hitting the pins for 270.

Frederick Winslow Taylor, the originator of "scientific management" in industries died recently in Philadelphia. During his lifetime he worked very hard in the interest of the system he originated to speed up labor and installed it in many plants.

The Fall River Iron Works mills employ about 1400 weavers but it cannot be stated at this time what percentage of this number is out on strike. The strike was caused by an order posted that employes in the weaving departments work part of the noon hour. This they refused to do and several hundred walked out.

Teamsters Met

Local 87, Teamsters' union held a brief routine business session in the union quarters in Odd Fellows building last night and at 32 Middle street the Coal Teamsters' union convened, but only routine business was transacted.

Labor Forward Committee

Among the meetings scheduled for tonight is that of the labor forward committee, which will meet in the Boot & Shoe headquarters in the Runels building to complete further plans for its campaign.

Boilermakers' Union

A meeting of the boilermakers employed at the Boston & Maine repair shops, North Billerica was held last night in Trades & Labor hall but only business of minor importance was transacted. About 250 members were in attendance.

Textile Conference

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers attended the conference of textile workers held in Providence, R. I., Sunday and was given authority to use his own discretion in organizing the folders of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill.

Noonday Speeches

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan and Thomas F. McMahon addressed a large gathering of mill operatives at the Merrimack Mfg. Co., yesterday noon, both speakers talking on organization. They received a good reception.

At noon today Organizers Whelan, McMahon and Hall addressed the workers at the Boott mill gate, speaking on the same subject.

Boot & Shoe Workers' Conference

The New England conference of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union was held in Whitman last Sunday. Organizer Daniel E. Whelan of this city presiding. A number of addresses were made by prominent labor officials and business of considerable importance was transacted. A large delegation from the local union attended the session.

Moulders' Union

The quarterly statement of the international organization was read last night at the regular meeting of the Moulders' union, held in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street. President John Willman presided. Trade conditions were discussed and shown to be improving, and Secretary Anderson of the Trades & Labor council submitted a report on the progress of the labor forward movement.

Loomfixers' Union

John Hanley, the newly elected president of the Loomfixers' union presided over the business session held last night in Carpenters' hall. Among the speakers was former-President Peter Conn, who has left the organization to enter business. The meeting was called to order promptly at 8 o'clock and considerable business of importance was transacted, including the admission of one new member. Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers' and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan spoke on organization work and the union label. Frank R. LeClair, Jr., was chosen to the position of vice-president, vacated by President Hanley's promotion.

Carpenters Union

A ladies' night will in all probability be held in the near future by the Carpenters union for the purpose of giving the wives of the members an insight into the workings of the organization and the meaning of the death benefit. The family of a member of the organization at the present time is entitled to receive $100 upon his death, providing he is in good financial standing, and if his wife should die before him the thing works both ways, and he receives $75. Many cases have happened within the past few years where families have been deprived of the death benefit because of the negligence of the member in not keeping in good financial standing, and by bringing the wives of the members to the union headquarters and explaining matters to them, it is believed that this practice will be done away with, and that few families, if any, will be deprived of what is rightfully due them. The Carpenters union is probably the only organization in the country which pays a death benefit to both the wife and father of the family, simply on prompt payment of the regular monthly fee which at the present time is 75 cents.

TO WED ARTIST'S MODEL

WEALTHY HARVARD MAN OF NEW YORK AWAITS HIS FATHER'S CONSENT

BOSTON, May 4.—Miss Eileen Livingston, the Charlestown girl and artist's model, whose engagement to Lewis Henry Niles, a wealthy Harvard student from Amsterdam, N. Y., became known Saturday, is anxiously awaiting with her fiance for word as to how the father of the young man will take the news of the engagement.

Young Niles, who is still a student at the Harvard Graduate School of Architecture, and whose course ends in June, has been reluctant to have his father learn of it until he informs him of it personally. It is not expected, however, that there will be any opposition on the part of the father, as he met Miss Livingston during the last Harvard commencement, when his son was graduated from the college course.

MISS HELEN JOYCE DEAD

HIGHLY ESTEEMED RESIDENT OF CENTRALVILLE PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

The many friends of Miss Helen T. Joyce, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Centralville will be deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred this morning, at her home, 82 Eleventh street, after a long illness borne with patience and resignation. Miss Joyce was a native of Centralville and was prominent in the social and charitable affairs of St. Michael's parish. She was a graduate of Notre Dame Academy and until her health failed she was recognized as one of Lowell's expert accountants. The deceased was a beautiful character, kind, gentle, sincerely religious and deeply devoted to the members of her family and her friends. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ellen T. Joyce, five sisters, Misses Mary C., of the high school and Rose C., Anna F., Jessie R. and Alice L., all of this city, and one brother, Charles H. Joyce, of Watertown, Mass.

KILLS HUSBAND OVER CLOTHES

Woman Shoots When Refused Money For Stylish Garments—Arrested and Held

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., May 4.—Mrs. Ellen Columbia of Montrose, near here, shot her husband, David, because of his refusal to buy clothes of the latest style for her. He died yesterday in a hospital and his wife was arrested after trying to convince Coroner Forshay that the shooting was accidental.

Columbia's wound was in the back and when on the witness stand he insisted that he had shot for self. The surgeon told him such a feat was impossible and he then said that his wife had shot him in a quarrel over his clothes.

Mrs. Columbia was [illegible] dressed [illegible] appeared before the coroner and showed no signs of having been [illegible] in the matter of clothes. She stated that her husband had tried to [illegible] her [illegible] the [illegible] in [illegible] was [illegible] and the father of three [illegible]

Lowell, Tuesday, May 4, 1915

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41 PERSONS DEAD

Killed or Drowned in the Recent Storms or Floods in Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, May 4.—Forty-one persons were killed or drowned in recent storms or floods in Texas, according to a compilation made public here today. Thirty-six bodies have been recovered, while five persons missing at Austin for two weeks are counted with the dead. Twenty-one of the bodies were recovered at Austin.

Rough estimates place the damage to property by the flood at $2,500,000.

SHIPMENT OF GRAIN

EXPORTATION FROM CANADA TO THE UNITED STATES PROHIBITED

OTTAWA, Ont., May 4.—The shipment of wheat, flour and a large number of other agricultural products and commodities to the United States has been prohibited, it was officially announced today except when such shipments are intended solely for domestic consumption in the United States and not for re-shipment abroad. Exportation of Canadian wheat and other farm products to certain foreign countries through the United States is allowed upon permits to be obtained in each individual case from Dominion authorities here. These permits must be delivered to customs officers at ports of exit, it is announced, before the shipment may be sent out of the country.

Another detail of the new restrictions is that all such products shipped out of the Dominion must be consigned to specific firms or individuals and that bills of lading must state that the products are for consumption in the United States.

Reasons for the restrictions were not divulged.

AID JEWISH SUFFERERS

JACOB SCHIFF SUGGESTS THAT AT LEAST 2,000,000 JEWS SHOULD EMIGRATE BEYOND MISSISSIPPI

NEW YORK, May 4.—Jacob H. Schiff's suggestion that at least two million Jews from abroad should emigrate to the country beyond the Mississippi river created enthusiasm today among those interested in the movement to aid Jewish sufferers from the war. He declared that the west was ready to welcome them and that a land of plenty awaited them there.

Mr. Schiff's proposal was made in an address to the Educational alliance last night on his return from a trip to San Antonio, San Francisco, Kansas City and Chicago, undertaken in part to discover the sentiment toward the Jews in the west.

ATTACKS SEC. BRYAN

McCALL SAYS BRYAN'S MIND IS NOT SOLID—ADMITS HE'S A GOOD TALKER

BOSTON, May 4.—Samuel W. McCall, former congressman and defeated candidate for the governorship of Massachusetts, gave it as his opinion last night before the Wellesley club at the Hotel Vendome that the mind of William Jennings Bryan was not solid.

Mr. McCall had been telling his audience, made up of the members of the club and their wives about the working of congress and what he had observed while he was a member of that body. He had reached the point where he was discussing the oratorical merits of his colleagues in congress. "I think that Bourke Cockran of New York was the oldest orator of all those who were in congress at that time. Tim[illegible] Red was very able, but the oratory of Mr. Cockran was smoother and more noble.

"I heard Bryan, who was another of the oldest [illegible] of the time, talk for three hours [illegible]. He impressed me as being great talker, but I [illegible] received an impression which has never been [illegible] that was that he had a [illegible] solidity of mind."

RESTRICT SALE OF LIQUOR

Regulations Promulgated at Cape Town Imposing Severe Restrictions

LONDON, May 4.—A Reuter dispatch from Cape Town says regulations have been promulgated imposing a severe restriction on the sale of liquor to members of the Union of South Africa and the imperial forces.

LAWRENCE STORE ROBBED

Nelson's Five and Ten Cent store in Lawrence was entered and $12 taken from the cash register, according to a report made to the police. Carpenters were there repairing the store and it is believed the thief entered through a hole in the side of the building.

ALL JUMPERS ARE BARRED

BAN JOHNSON AGREES TO TAKE SUITS BETWEEN FEDS AND O. B. OUT OF COURT

BOSTON, May 4.—President Ban Johnson stated in an interview here today that he had consented to have the suits between organized ball and the Feds taken out of the federal court of Illinois, where they are awaiting a decision by Judge Landis.

"I believe that baseball should never have been taken into the courts," he said. "No man who has jumped a contract or reservation with the American league can ever return into that organization. That is final.

"There is a small army of ball players who are trying to get back into organized ball. They are using the influence of their friends but we will not stand for it."

"My consent to have the suits withdrawn," continued Johnson, "applies only to the American league and has nothing to do with the attitude of the National league.

"At the suggestion of Phillip Ball, president of the St. Louis Federals, a conference of the attorneys of the Federal and American leagues was held in Chicago 10 days ago for the purpose of discussing the withdrawal of the suits. The attorneys of the National league knew nothing of such a meeting. Some progress had been made in the direction of adjustment when other matters were injected into the discussion and the conference broke up without accomplishing anything.

"Mr. Ball agreed with me that the suits never should have been instituted. I do not know whether any further effort will be made to bring about an agreement in this direction."

CHAIRMAN HERMANN TALKS

CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—"I know nothing of any movement looking toward the withdrawing of the Federal league's suit against organized baseball from the federal court in Illinois," said Chairman August Hermann of the national commission today when told that President Johnson of the American league had given out an interview in which he said that he had consented to such a withdrawal.

"Insofar as I know there has been no discussion along this line," continued Mr. Hermann, "and I believe I would certainly know of it if such a matter had been discussed."

PRES. TENER'S STATEMENT

NEW YORK, May 4.—President Tener of the National league when informed of Ban Johnson's statement relative to withdrawing the baseball suits from the Illinois courts said he did not understand the American league executive's remarks. President Tener stated that so far as he knew there was no intention at this time on the part of organized baseball in general and the National league in particular to withdraw the case before Judge Landis.

While National league officials appeared to be more or less mystified by President Johnson's statements it was apparent that the National league authorities did not care to take any definite attitude in the latest development of the baseball controversy.

Robert B. Ward, president of the Brooklyn Federals, and vice president of the Federal league, said that he knew of no plans or arrangements between organized baseball and the independent league that warranted such a statement as credited to Johnson. He said:

"So far as I am concerned personally and as representative of the Federal league I am not ready to have the Illinois suits withdrawn from the courts. I don't understand the situation but you can state for me that the Federal league is not ready to depart from the stand it took when the case was pleaded before Judge Landis. There can be no withdrawal of the controversy from court without the consent of all parties concerned and I am confident that no officer of the Federal league would have taken such a step without informing all other members of the league."

NONE OF SUITS WITHDRAWN

CHICAGO, May 4.—None of the suits before Judge Landis in the United States district court here has been withdrawn, it was stated by the clerk of the court today.

PERSONALS

A [illegible] was born yesterday to Supt. of Schools [illegible] and Mrs. Francis A. Connor.

[illegible] M. T. M. club of St. Paul's M. E. church gave a farewell party last evening in honor of Mrs. Harfield W. Brown at the home of Mrs. Ralph P. [illegible] in Chelmsford Centre. Abel R. [illegible] presented Mrs. Brown, who is to leave for Pittsfield, Mass., a [illegible] gift in behalf of the club. A social hour was held and refreshments were served.

[illegible] Valleran of 60 West Meadow road will be removed to the Lowell hospital Thursday to undergo a [illegible] operation. Her many friends [illegible] will soon recover.

[illegible] and Mrs. Louis Roberts and [illegible] Hazel were agreeably surprised at the home of Mrs. Fred Roberts [illegible] members of the Philatheas and [illegible] "District School" and other friends of the Worthen Street Baptist church, [illegible] occasion of their future departure from this city. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and their daughter were presented [illegible] valuable gifts. Luncheon was served and a musical program was carried out.

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Nobody could find fault with that game, even though we did lose. It was an exhibition seldom seen in any league at this season of the year.

Revenge is surely sweet. After shutting out Worcester in their opening game, Lowell returns home and is beaten in their opener by the same club. Jesse Burkett was remembering all these little details as he smilingly took his way back to town.

Lohman's wild heave was costly. He pitched a good game but much of the goodness was lost by his erratic throw.

It was a big surprise to everybody when the game went over 10 innings. With two men out and two strikes on the local manager, it looked as though Worcester would maintain its one run lead. But it didn't.

Burkett yelled to Justin to work hard on Barrows. On the Worcester bench the leader of the Busters was telling his men about the slugging ability of Lowell's manager when hard the sickly thud of horsehide and wood rang out. Jesse looked up just in time to get a last look at the sphere before it passed out of sight.

Stimpson had a good day with the stick. The left fielder stands up there with that same confident pose that he possessed last season. His attitude seems to say, "How can a fellow help hitting 'em?"

Billy McMahon has one of the finest whips in this or any other circuit. He shoots the ball right on a line and is accurate. Twice yesterday it took bullet throws to nail the runner, but Billy was equal to the occasion.

Hughey Duffy must have said a few things under his breath down in Lawrence yesterday. Watkins, his big twirler, was so wild that the bases were filled three times in the first session. Lawrence scored three runs, due mostly to Watkins' wildness, for Scanlon pitched a steady game from that time on.

Dick Rudolph knows what it is now to realize that he is being outpitched. The world series hero was humbled yesterday by Dell of the Brooklyn club in a hard 3-2 game. Brooklyn only drew five hits off Rudolph but they came at opportune times.

"For the love of Mike, how many pitchers have you got this year?" asked Jesse Burkett yestrday. "All I can see is a pitcher everywhere I look." It was before the game, and it did look like a big league camp with seven pitchers out there warming up.

What's going to happen? The Giants have won again. After being blanked up to the ninth inning McGraw's men went in and pounded out a 3-2 victory. J. McGraw must feel a trifle more cheerful after this demonstration of gameness.

Before the fun started there was some fun out at the ball park. The carpenters were busy hustling about and trying to complete rough accomodations for the grandstand patrons and the players were trying to get a little practice. Every few minutes a ball would come back among the workmen. There's many a sore spot today in Contractor Creamer's crew.

PICTURE OF JIM DUFFY

Bunting Club Honors the Memory of the Marathon Runner Killed in the European War

The members of the Bunting club were presented a handsome photograph of the late Jimmy Duffy, who was killed in the European conflict. It will be remembered that the honor of opening the Bunting tracks in 1914 went to Mr. Duffy, who won the Marathon race, which proved one of the most interesting events of this kind ever conducted in this city. The photograph is a gift of the Marion studio. It will be framed and given a conspicuous place in the club rooms.

ED. WALSH SERIOUSLY ILL

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—Developing a severe case of grippe from a cold contracted five days ago, Ed. Walsh, Chicago American league pitcher, suffered from a high fever yesterday, and was in such a condition that his departure for Chicago has been indefinitely postponed.

ELKS BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, May 4.—A team from the Revere lodge last night won the Elks' bowling championship help in connection with the title of the Atlantic Coast Bowling association. Their score for a five man candle pin team was 1176, of which "Red" Miller contributed a pin fall of 344.

C. C. Henry of this city set a new tournament high mark for individual duck pins with 323. In the two men duck pin class Paige and Hardy, also of Boston, set 624 as the high score.

Candle pin keeper was Mediocre. Individually, H. L. Waters won the honors with 302, while Schultz and Hennessy were high rollers in doubles at 696.

MR. BRIDGEFORD INJURED

FELL DOWN EMBANKMENT AND SUSTAINED SERIOUS CUTS AND BRUISES

While assisting in the construction of a stone wall near the entrance of the G. C. Moore scouring mills yesterday afternoon, John Bridgeford of North Chelmsford stumbled over a large boulder and tumbled headlong down an embankment, sustaining severe injuries to his head, besides a severe shock to his system and numerous cuts and bruises about the body. Medical assistance was hastily summoned and the injured man was removed to his apartment over the mill. Mr. Bridgeford has been employed as an engineer by the G. C. Moore Co. for a number of years.

UNION B. HUNT DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 4.—Union B. Hunt, 51, president of the insurance department of the Supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, died yesterday.

TOURING SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AYRES, May 4.—Former Senator Theodore Burton and Judge Otto Schoenrich, who are touring So. America to promote closer relations with the United States, will arrive tomorrow from Chile. They will be met by Ambassador Frederick J. Stimson and the embassy staff. Later in the week they will be entertained by Senor De La Plaza and the minister of foreign affairs.

GAMES TOMORROW

New England League

Lowell at Fitchburg.
Lawrence at Lewiston.
Lynn at Portland.
Manchester at Worcester.

American League

Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

National League

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia
Cincinnati at Chicago.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Federal League

St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Baltimore.
Kansas City at Buffalo.
Pittsburgh at Newark.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League

Worcester 5, Lowell 4
Lawrence 4, Portland 4.
Lewiston 5, Lynn 4.
Fitchburg 4, Manchester 2.

American League

Boston-Washington—rain.
New York 8, Philadelphia 4.

National League

Brooklyn 3, Boston 2.
New York 3, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 1, (called 5th, rain.)

Federal League

Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 1.
Brooklyn 8, Pittsburgh 7.
Chicago 7, Buffalo 3.
Baltimore 7, Kansas City 5.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lawrence	2	0	1000
Lowell	1	1	500
Manchester	1	1	500
Worcester	1	1	500
Fitchburg	1	1	500
Lewiston	1	1	500
Lynn	0	1	000
Portland	0	1	000

American League	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	10	4	714
Detroit	13	6	684
Chicago	11	8	579
Washington	8	6	571
Boston	5	6	455
Cleveland	8	10	444
St. Louis	5	12	294
Philadelphia	4	11	267

National League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	12	4	750
Chicago	11	5	688
Boston	8	7	533
Cincinnati	9	8	529
St. Louis	10	9	526
Brooklyn	7	10	412
Pittsburgh	5	12	294
New York	4	10	286

Federal League	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	12	5	706
Pittsburgh	11	8	579
Newark	11	8	579
Brooklyn	10	8	556
Kansas City	9	9	500
St. Louis	7	10	412
Baltimore	7	12	368
Buffalo	6	13	316

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Clean Up Week

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FAST GAME FOR OPENER

Worcester Defeated Lowell 5-4 in 13 Innings—Sensational Contest at Spalding Park

Lowell went down to defeat yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in the opening game of the 1915 season in this city in one of the hardest fought diamond contests seen here in years, when Pitcher Lohman uncorked a wild heave in the 13th session, thus allowing Gardella two extra bases and a position at third base from which he subsequently scored on a sacrifice fly. The final score was 5—4.

Cold weather and poor playing conditions, notwithstanding, both teams played wonderful baseball. Time and again one club scored only to have the tallies evened up by the other. There was no inning which netted more than a single run.

Before the contest the two clubs marched to the flagpole in centre field and hoisted Old Glory. Mayor Murphy then mounted the rubber and, after a lengthy windup, pitched the first ball of the game.

Lohman and Justin were the pitchers chosen to work yesterday. Johnson replaced Justin in the 12th when signs of weakness were apparent.

Cuke Barrows lifted the ball high and far in the last half of the 10th with two out and two strikes called upon him. The sphere has reached the earth again, we think, but just where isn't certain. The last seen of the particular horsehide that the Lowell manager caressed with his wand was a tiny speck journeying skyward over the rightfield fence. Many of the fans had begun to leave the stands when Barrows came through with his long homer which again tied up the score.

The score:

WORCESTER

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Keegan lf	6	0	3	3	0	0
Cooney 2b	6	0	1	5	4	0
Gardella 3b	6	1	1	4	2	0
Pottelger cf	4	2	2	4	1	0
Cabrera 1b	6	0	0	14	2	0
Carroll c	5	0	1	6	1	0
Young ss	5	2	1	1	2	0
Donahue rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Justin p	5	0	1	0	3	0
Johnson p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	48	5	10	39	16	0

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McMahon 3b	5	0	0	3	8	0
Barrows cf	6	1	2	6	1	0
Stimpson lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meyers 1b	6	0	1	21	0	0
McCleskey 2b	5	0	1	2	2	1
Dee ss	6	0	2	1	5	1
Greenhalge c	5	1	1	4	3	0
Lohman p	5	0	3	0	6	0
Totals	46	4	13	39	25	2

Worcester 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1—5
Lowell... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—4

Two-base hits: Carroll, Greenhalge, Lohman. Three base hits: Stimpson, Potteiger. Home run: Barrows. Stolen base: Dee. Sacrifice hits: McMahon, McCleskey, Stimpson, Potteiger. Double plays: Justin, Cooney and Cabrera; by Lowell 0. First base on errors: By Worcester 1. Bases on balls: Off Justin 3; off Lohman 2. Hits: Off Justin 13 in 12 1-3 innings. Struck out: By Justin 2; by Lohman 3. Wild pitch: Lohman. Umpire: Bransfield. Time: 3.01.

WOMAN WAS CHOKING

CONSTABLE FLYNN SAVED HER FROM BEING STRANGLED WITH HEAD CAUGHT IN A WINDOW

Constable Flynn a few days ago saved a woman from strangulation on Common street.

According to the story, Mr. Flynn was going along Common street Saturday afternoon and when he reached a building near the Morrill school, he heard screams coming from the second story of the building, and looking up he saw a woman's head hanging over the windowsill with the window down tight upon her neck.

Mr. Flynn lost no time and rushed upstairs, but to his consternation the door was locked. He rushed to the street again and a few seconds later returned to the door with a grocery clerk who happened to be in the vicinity. The two men put their shoulders to the door and soon broke it in. They rushed to the window and found that the woman was held a prisoner by the window, which worked with a spring and which had dropped over her neck. They released her but not before she was almost strangled. After being thanked for their work, the two men departed without getting the woman's name.

SHIPLOAD OF COPPER

ATTEMPT TO SMUGGLE IT INTO GERMANY FROM DENMARK HAS BEEN DISCOVERED

LONDON, May 4.—Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen telegraphs that an attempt to smuggle a shipload of copper into Germany from Denmark has been discovered by the police. The despatch says the attempt was made by two Danish skippers, brothers named Christensen, who were sentenced to three years each in the house of correction and the cancellation of their skippers' certificates.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Carrie Gertrude Cummings will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, 3 East Pine street. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

DEATHS

CUMMINGS—Carrie Gertrude Cummings, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, died at the home of her parents, 3 East Pine street, aged 27 days. Besides her parents, she is survived by three brothers, Chester E., George W. and Everett Cummings.

FOR WHITE WAY DAY

Board of Trade Officials Will Meet Street Railway Officials to Arrange for Transporting Visitors

The members of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade and Division Superintendent Farrington of the Bay State Street Railway Co. will confer tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the board of trade rooms in Central street as to the best way of transporting the thousands of visitors who are expected in this city on May 26.

It is the plans of the board of trade to have free cars leave the various suburban towns and surrounding cities on the morning of the celebration in order to give our neighbors an opportunity to come to Lowell on that day and patronize our merchants and thereby profit by the bargains that will be offered them. At tomorrow afternoon's conference all the smallest details will be look d after and the number of electric cars to be used will be fixed.

ON JAPAN'S DEMANDS

LONDON, May 4.—The United States and Great Britain have entered into no formal negotiations on the subject of Japan's demands on China. Announcement to this effect was made in the house of commons today by the British foreign minister, Sir Edward Grey.

The foreign minister added that the only communication of the sort between the American and British governments had been a brief and informal conversation in February between Ambassador Page and a representative of Great Britain.

REPORT 30,000 CAPTURED

VIENNA, May 4 (via London)—Thirty thousand Russian soldiers, 22 cannon and 64 machine guns were captured in the battle of the West Galicia, according to an official statement given out in Vienna this afternoon.

FOR U. S. CORNETIST

LOWELL MUSICIAN WINS PLACE UNDER UNCLE SAM THROUGH C. S. EXAMINATION

The many friends of Alex Godbout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Majorique Godbout of 29 Hanover street, will be pleased to learn he has secured a position as cornetist with the United States brass band at the Old Soldiers' home at Togus, Me.

Mr. Godbout is a noted musician having studied with E. N. Lafricain of Boston for the past three years. He is a popular member of Tabor's Sixth regiment band, M. V. M., and has had considerable experience with other brass bands and orchestras of this city. At the present time he is employed as a shoe salesman for the 20th Century Shoe Co. in Merrimack street and will sever his connection with this company this evening, to start on his new duties next Monday.

The young man recently took an examination as cornetist and successfully passed. He received his appointment a few days ago and as soon as he reaches Togus, Me., he will enlist for a term of two or three years in the service of Uncle Sam. The position is a lucrative one with a chance for promotion. The conductor of the band is B. W. Thieme.

COST OF THE WAR

England's Expenditures $5,682,170,000 if it Continues Till Jan. 1

LONDON, May 4.—In presenting the budget to the house of commons today the chancellor of the exchequer, David Lloyd George, estimated that if the war lasted during the whole of the fiscal year, Great Britain's expenditures in that time would be 1,136,434,000 pounds ($5,682,170,000.

Mr. Lloyd-George estimated that the total revenue for the year 1915-1916 would be 270,152,000 pounds ($1,250,-910,000.) This is an increase of $215,-100,000 over the total of last year.

On the basis of a six months' war, the chancellor continued, expenditures for war, apart from advances to the allies of Great Britain, would rise to 2,100,000 pounds daily and the net deficit would be $514,346,000 pounds. On the basis of a 12 months' war the net deficit would be $62,332,000 pounds.

"That is the sum the country will have to raise in addition to the government's revenue during the course of the present year," he said.

The chancellor gave an indication of the colossal expenditure he had to provide for in his opening sentence.

"Up to the end of the financial year," he said, "the net cost of the war has been over 367,000,000 pounds."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Egin lodge, 166, N. E. O. P., will meet Thursday evening in Highland hall on Branch street. Deputy Grand Warden Estelle I. Evans will make an official visit to the lodge and an excellent program will be prepared. The committee in charge has planned for a drawing contest and refreshments will be served.

LETTER FROM FROST'S SISTER

A letter addressed to the matron of the Chelmsford Street hospital was received at that institution today. The letter is from Mrs. I. E. Pillsbury, 48 R. R. square, Lebanon, N. H. The writer makes inquiry concerning Eugene I. Frost, the Lynn man who was taken to the hospital a few days ago for observation as to his sanity. Mrs. Pillsbury is his sister and she wants all the facts concerning her brother's detention and his condition.

STEAMER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, May 4.—Arrived steamer Carpathia, from Genoa.

TO VISIT PANAMA FAIR

THREE LOWELL BOYS WILL DRIVE A PUSH-CART ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Max Cohen, E. M. Cohen and Max Greenberg, three young men of this city, have decided to attend the great Panama exposition in San Francisco and they are going a very novel way about it. They have a push cart with bicycle tires which they aver they will push to and through the golden gate.

They went to Boston yesterday and obtained a letter of introduction from Gov. Walsh to the governor of California and today they got a letter from Mayor Murphy to the mayor of San Francisco. They expect to leave Lowell May 15.

CITY HALL NOTES

The board of health met this forenoon and granted four swill licenses and one stable license.

Commissioner Morse sent out all of the horse-drawn watering carts this morning to take the place of the car sprinklers. Mr. Morse allows that the street sprinkling contract broken by the Car Sprinkler company will never take effect in Lowell again.

RANGE OF BIG GUNS

INVENTOR OF MELINITE SAYS THERE IS NO LIMIT, IN DISCUSSING BOMBARDMENT

PARIS, May 4.—"Theoretically there is no limit to the range of big guns," said Henry Turpin, the inventor of melinite, to a representative of the Petit Parisien in discussing the bombardment of Dunkirk. "When I was attached to the technical artillery section of the ministry of war General Andre, then minister, asked me to make special experiments to see if it was possible to produce a projectile with a range equivalent to the distance from Calais to Dover. My first experiments and calculations showed it was possible to attain a much greater range than that."

It was while connected with the ministry of war that M. Turpin invented the aerial torpedo which the Germans appear to be using on both fronts and the inventor is unable to understand how they learned the secret.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS

LONDON, May 4.—A British official announcement, issued today, says Germany is arranging through the American ambassador to accord exactly similar treatment to the British officers who have been especially confined in Germany as that given by Great Britain to German submarine prisoners.

When Great Britain captured the crews of certain German submarines these prisoners were not sent to the regular camps but were allotted to special barracks. Hearing of this the German authorities took a number of British officers prisoners in their hands and in retaliation subjected them to treatment as harsh as that visited by the British on the submarine prisoners.

Investigations were made through the American embassies in both Berlin and London with the result that the treatment of both these sets of prisoners was found not to be as harsh as had been imagined.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

KEEPING A ROOM IN ORDER

"It seems as though I never could keep our living room in order," complained Marjorie as she came upon Marie putting to rights her aunt's living room where she had just finished unwrapping a huge number of packages, the result of madame's shopping tour of yesterday.

"Why not make a 'catch-all' like that one hanging inside that closet door. It will help very much in keeping your living room tidy."

"Tell me how to make one and I will do it at once," enthusiastically broke in Marjorie.

"It is very easy," answered Marie. "If in every living room there were a handy receptacle for odds, a number of oft-wanted-in-a-hurry things would not be thrown into a waste paper basket and finally upon an ash heap.

"A sort of catch-all that is inconspicuous as well as ornamental, and which may be hung up is made by deeply facing a circle of material of about a yard's diameter with some of the same material.

"These two edges are next separately bound in order to keep them firm and the two layers are then portioned into six pockets labelled distinctly 'string,' 'tissue paper,' 'braids,' 'lead pencils,' 'tacks,' and 'memorandum pads,' leaving the seventh and larger pocket formed by the center of the main circles for heavy wrapping paper.

"Along the edges of the contrivance, between each pocket, is attached a strand of the binding material, and these drawn together under a big fancy button form its hangers.

"The catch-all is pretty in printed cretonne, figured denim, embroidered crash or any of the substantial fabrics of which utility bags are made. Its braid bindings may be of a silk, wool or linen weave, or of tinsel gimp, if the bag is upholstery damask or plush."

"Thank you so much," said Marjorie gratefully. "I am sure I can make one and it will greatly help me in keeping the living room tidy."

EXPENSES CUT ORDERED

Washington Sends Orders to Custodian of Buildings of Treasury Department Here

BOSTON, May 4.—Notice from Washington was received yesterday by the custodian of buildings of the treasury department ordering a sweeping reduction of the running expenses for May and June. Every person in the department will be affected. The notice says in part:

"It will be necessary to furlough each and every member of the custodian force paid from the appropriation 'operating force of public buildings' during the months of May and June, 1915, for a total period of eight days without pay. During these months no leave whatever will be granted with pay. The eight days need not be taken continuously, but should be granted in days and half-days and at such intervals as will insure the best possible upkeep of the buildings under the circumstances."

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ST. MICHAEL'S MISSION

The Edifice Crowded at Second Night of Men's Mission—Sermon on Justice by Fr. Murray

St. Michael's church in Centralville was crowded last evening when the second service of the mission for the men of the parish was opened. Every seat in the big auditorium was filled and extra seats were placed in the sanctuary and outside the altar railing to accommodate those who could not find seats in the body of the church. The choir loft was also comfortably filled.

Rev. Fr. Murray, O. P., gave the instructions and preached the sermon. In opening he told of the good work already started by the men of the parish and urged all to persevere to the end, that the mission might prove an unprecedented success. In order to do this, he said, it was necessary that every man in the parish attend the services in the evening throughout the week, and also the masses in the morning.

In his sermon, Fr. Murray took for his text a passage from the sixth chapter of St. Matthew as follows: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all other things shall be added unto you.

The reverend preacher then told of the extraordinary kindness and mercy of God; and of the reward He has promised those who remain faithful. The kingdom of heaven, he said, means peace in this world and everlasting happiness in the next, if we but remain true to the teachings of the church and show our sense of justice to Him who created the world out of nothingness. In order to realize this fully, said Fr. Murray, every man has to show to the world his sense of justice, which in other words is a square deal. Give your neighbor his just due, said Fr. Murray, by setting the example of leading a good life, and all promised things will follow. Fr. Murray then told of the man who thinks he is deeply imbued with the spirit of a square deal towards his neighbor, in that he pays all monetary debts, and perhaps returns the kindnesses shown by his neighbor. But all this, said Fr. Murray, is not satisfying in the eyes of God. God wants and expects, said Fr. Murray, that every man show his spirit of justice and duty towards his neighbor by example, by attending mass regularly on Sundays and holy days, by frequenting the sacraments, and by avoiding sin in all its forms.

Man never thinks, said the preacher, of giving a square deal to God who has done so much for him and he never thinks of paying to God what is His due.

Fr. Murray told of the justice that should be shown to the Holy Ghost, for enlightening the soul of man and of the spirit of justice that should be shown to the church, which has fought sin and vice for centuries. This attribute very rarely shows up in man, said Fr. Murray, although he goes out and openly boasts of his love of a square deal.

He also told of the enemies of the church and religion and of their antagonism to both because of the activity shown by each in combatting the evils of the world. I want to know, said Fr. Murray, if every man in this vast congregation has enough sense of justice not to play into the hands of these enemies of the church to set a good example to them by leading good and wholesome lives.

Fr. Murray told of the sense of justice due the pastor of the church and his assistants, saying that the pastor wants not sufficient money to run his parish but he does want the salvation of the souls of his parishioners. By his hard and untiring work to this end, said Fr. Murray, the pastor is entitled to a square deal, and the men of his parish should give him his due. He also told of the debt owed to the self-sacrificing wife and mother.

In closing Fr. Murray urged all to show a spirit of justice towards the world and to God by leading good lives. By doing this he said, they would be deriving the real joys of life, and their reward would be amply reaped in the life to come.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, with Rev. Francis Mullin as celebrant. During the service the sanctuary choir under the direction of Choirmaster James A. Murphy, rendered "Praise to the Holiest," "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo." Preceding the sermon, Fr. Lawler recited the rosary, the congregation responding. The services ended with the singing of the hymn "Holy God" by the congregation.

ASH BARREL FIRE

A telephone alarm at about 10 o'clock this forenoon was for a fire in an ash barrel in the rear of a house on Ames place, off School street. No damage.

SEALERS ICE BOUND

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 4.—Three steamers of the sealing fleet returned from the Gulf of St. Lawrence yesterday with a total of 3400 pelts, one of the smallest catches known in the industry. The Diana had 400 pelts, the Viking 500, and the Terranova 2500. The sealers Eagle and Bloodhound are ice bound at Green Pond, Bonavista Bay on the east coast. Their return will end the season, which has been the poorest in the annals of the colony.

REWARDED FOR HEROISM

BOSTON, May 4.—As a reward for holding back a crowd of aliens who attacked Dr. H. B. C. Reimer at the immigration station last week Giovanni Magni, who had been detained as undesirable, was given his freedom yesterday. He was under deportation orders but Secretary of Labor Wilson reversed his decision because of Magni's heroism.

WOMEN'S CLUB REPORT

Continued

names on the waiting list. Brief reports were made by Mrs. Grace C. Perham, chairman of the house committee; Mrs. W. G. Eaton, chairman of visitors' tickets; who reported that 50 waiting list tickets have been sold during the year and Miss M. Maude Lancaster, who gave a condensed account of the year's program.

The following delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Marion, June 24 and 25, were chosen by nominations from the floor; Mrs. C. W. Russell, Miss Grace Ward, Mrs. S. H. Thompson, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Miss Bessie B. Hadley, Mrs. Willis G. Eaton, Mrs. Lovina B. Carney and Miss Ella M. Wells.

Mrs. Sidney R. Fleet read the report of the playground committee, the work of which will soon be taken over by the park commission. Credit for the present success of the playgrounds was given largely to the first chairman, Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy. Mention was made also of the valuable cooperation of the college club and the park commission.

A vote of thanks was extended to many who have extended special favors to the club, including Mr. Stevens, the janitor, and a vote of appreciation was extended to the retiring officers. Mrs. Proctor, the new president, was escorted to the platform by Miss Ward and spoke briefly, expressing her thanks for the honor conferred and asking for the cooperation of the members in keeping up the high standard of the club. A reception to the retiring officers was held in Middlesex hall, and refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

Miss Ward's Report

The annual report, read by the retiring president, Miss Grace Ward, was quite interesting. It had the following parts:

Once a year it seems to be incumbent upon us to ignore that very familiar and excellent exhortation to "Look out and not in; look forward and not back," and to adopt quite the contrary rule in reviewing the work of the year.

This year will be memorable in history as the year of "the war." While we have tried to do our part in helping to alleviate the unspeakable suffering across the seas, we have made an effort not to allow the tragedies of the war to enter too much into our club program, for we have felt that this year, if ever, we needed diversion and good cheer. If the year has been a success and brought to you both pleasure and profit, we are glad. To no one person is the credit due, for the machinery of a club like ours requires many heads and many hands, but all working in harmony can achieve great results.

The report of the chairman of the playground committee shows how much the club is indebted to her and her able assistants for their excellent, economical and efficient management of their part of the playground work. It is to be hoped that the city fathers will become more impressed with the importance of the recreational work among the children, and that in due time Lowell will attain to the front rank in living up to its opportunities in this particular.

Policewomen

The civics department, besides assisting the education department in the moving picture investigation, has been active along several different lines, having given much time and thought to the subject of tuberculosis. Success has crowned their efforts, at least to the extent of providing a special tuberculosis district nurse, through the Lowell Guild. They have also been studying the subject of policewomen or police matrons, whose duty it is to supervise the public dance halls and to see that the young women reach home safely at night. In cooperation with the board of trade they have assisted in carrying on a city beautiful and clean-up campaign. The horticultural exhibit held in Middlesex hall in connection with this was the first of its kind in Lowell, a remarkable display and a credit to the city.

It is gratifying to hear so many words of commendation for the year's program, and yet it is no surprise to hear that others (we hope not many) have not found the course as interesting as usual! One feels like asking "Did you hear Professor Phelps describe his literary pilgrimage in England, or his lecture on Robert Browning? How about Dean Brown, didn't you enjoy him? And Mrs. MacDowell, and Mr. Garrett on the Lorna Doone country, were they not delightful? Didn't Mrs. Kidder take off the London Flower Girl well? What an inspiring lecture Dr. Cabot's was, and wasn't the music of the Longy club a revelation of what wind instruments may do?"

Though our social obligations have not been numerous, they have been excellent in quality and well attended. Our "Gentlemen's Night" in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the club was a marked success and many requests have come that such an affair be repeated oftener than once in ten years.

On March 12th we discharged our social obligations to some of the other clubs by inviting the Massachusetts delegates to the Chicago biennial to attend a reunion of our club and share with us the lecture on Browning by Prof. Phelps. By the expression of their faces, as well as by their spoken words, it proved to be as one of them expressed it "a banner day" for them.

Three large packing boxes of clothing have been sent to the Belgians; one has been distributed among the poor of Lowell, while two other boxes of old cotton and linen have been collected for use in the hospitals of northern France. These latter helped to supply 36 cases, containing 332,938 pieces, which were sterilized and sent under the auspices of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. We have also been instrumental in raising several hundred dollars from the citizens at large for the purchase of food for the war sufferers. The latest advices from the front tell us that no more clothing is needed (at least for Belgium), but they urge all committees and individuals to focus their efforts upon supplying food, of which there is a serious and growing shortage.

The club has appointed two delegates as members of the Flying Squadron permanent committee, and one member to represent the club in investigating the conditions of the public dance halls.

In closing, your president wishes to take this opportunity to express to you her sincere appreciation of the unfailing kindness, encouragement and loyalty that have been shown her during her three years of service, and her hope that she may not have proved unworthy of the confidence that has been placed in her, nor of the honor conferred upon her.

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All friends of American business, of labor, as represented by the ordinary worker, and of the general public should beware lest, in the abuse of power, any group, whether among the capitalists or among the labor interests, should go too far in its demands. Full prosperity can survive only through friendly co-operation, and it is very possible for a misguided group to exercise selfishness to such an extent that the results should be general disorganization and industrial depression.

It must be apparent to the labor unions, for instance, that in some cases their demands may approach confiscation. They may organize successfully, may become a power politically and industrially, may right many wrongs and finally make demands that can only be met at public expense. In many lines of manufacture and business generally the margin between profit and loss is narrow, and in such cases, heavy labor demands will result in higher prices for the customer or the consumer. In this way it is quite possible for the worker to get an increase in wages that must be later paid back in a higher price for the commodities of life. It is not the amount of wages received that is all-important in the long run; it is the amount that the average worker can save, or the living that he may enjoy from his earnings. It is the purchasing power of the dollar.

This fact is illustrated by the coal situation. Some years ago coal was less than $6 per ton; today it is about $8 per ton, and will be higher in the fall. The increase may be due to more than one cause, but the coal producers attribute it to the increased expenditures that have followed labor agitations. Thus, the gain to American labor in wages is offset by the heavy expenses for living comforts. When all is weighed, the direct gain may be found negligible.

Another instance is afforded by the railroad situation. With the advent of the automobile and the electric car, the steam railroads lost heavily in revenue, yet upon the heels of these losses followed insistent demands of all classes of railroad employes for higher wages. These demands could not be well refused, and in most instances they were backed up by the American public, but ultimately the public must pay the cost. Few American railroads now make large profits but still from time to time the employes make demand after demand for higher wages. When added to these demands is the other demand for improved equipment, the lot of the railroads is seen to be anything but rosy. Thus, again, the gain of the railroad employe has resulted in a loss to the general public, and so the circle of increasing demands is again in evidence. In the case of the railroads, it is evident that unless there is a radical change in the attitude of the public, the entire system of railroad transportation will have to be revolutionized, and it may be that then American labor will lose far more than it has ever gained.

New England also has experienced the labor agitation that, after a long deadlock, has crippled some industry and left bitter feelings between the owners of an industry and the workers. When, for instance, shoe concerns of Lynn and elsewhere are driven out of business, who triumphs? The shoe concerns do not win, it is certain, but what do the workers win? Any agitation that would permanently injure an industry is a detriment to labor, and should be frowned upon by all wise people in labor circles and outside.

As unions grow strong they must not abuse their power, if they are to be a permanent benefit to the people. They must beware of extremists and reactionary agitators who care little for the good of any class and aim only at perpetual disruption, for deep-seated reasons. The great mass of American labor union members are sane, public-spirited and patriotic, but they must beware of erratic leaders and policies that would lead them into danger. Any agitation that would aim at extreme measures, that would make unfair demands and that would stir up class passion and prejudice has evil fruits and should be avoided. It is very possible for misguided and short-sighted groups in any class to carry their fight against a grievance to such a point that they would become a greater menace than that which they are ostensibly fighting. All who work for betterment should beware of the vicious circle, the effects of which are evident to the thinker.

WATCH THE HOODLUM

The activities of the hoodlum form one of the most serious problems confronting the police department of all our communities during the summer season. Gangs of young roughs, some of them scarcely out of the nursery and some advanced in their 'teens congregate together early in the season and make themselves generally objectionable. Their vicious habits and practices are a decided nuisance and in many instances they become so objectionable in certain parts of our cities that many hesitate to use out of the way streets after dark or to avail of the parks which are supported by public money for the use of the general public. This is unfortunately as true of Lowell as of any other city and it would seem from the records of the last few years that our hoodlums are growing in number and in power.

The city of Malden had an experience last Saturday which should be a warning to all our communities. There, a parade had been organized for the official opening of the clean-up campaign, and Saturday evening, 500 boys and girls carrying banners with appropriate mottoes started out from the state armory accompanied by the mayor, his wife and representatives of civic leagues. There was a band, and the usual features of such a parade, including American flags. Shortly after the parade started, it was stoned by hooting and jeering crowds of hoodlums who kept up their lawless offences along the line of march, causing many injuries among the marchers. Even the presence of a mounted police squad at the head of the procession did not discourage the villainous roughs who evidently, and perhaps wisely, saw something objectionable to their existence in the starting of a "clean-up" campaign. Malden has learned from this regrettable experience that to clean up the city properly it must not stop at the streets, parks, homes and lawns. It must clean out the organized gangs of hoodlums that have shown themselves to be a great menace to the public.

This is an extreme instance, but to some extent Lowell suffers from the same activity. It is a most regrettable fact that decent girls cannot go to some of our summer parks—especially in the evening—without hearing indecent and insulting remarks, and that people whose homes are in the vicinity of such parks are being continually offended by ribald conversation and profanity. Even where the city hires an official watchman, such things go on, as it is impossible for him to keep a close watch on all the various groups of young roughs that infest some of the parks and make it impossible for decent people to go there. It should certainly be possible for two girls to go unattended by a male escort to any of our parks or commons throughout the day or evening without being grossly offended and insulted by obscene and double-meaning salutations. Nobody will object to sport or play if indulged in legitimately, but all public-spirited citizens will object to our public places being spoiled by the pest of the undesirable hoodlum.

It is obviously difficult for the police department to handle this question adequately, as most of those who are insulted prefer to make no complaint rather than to invite the publicity of a court experience. They simply do what scores have done, resolve to avoid the scene of the insult and leave the park to the undesirables. This does not intimate, of course, that all of the young men, or old men, who use the parks and commons belong to the undesirable class, but anybody who has experience knows full well that the conditions described are very, very common.

Now is the time for the police department to exert itself, while the season is young. All of our larger parks should be adequately policed, and well lighted at night, and those found objectionable should be prosecuted without delay. Evidently in Malden the gangs think themselves more mighty than the police department, and the same feeling will grow up where hoodlums are permitted to indulge in vicious habits with impunity. Now is the time for the police department to keep an eye on the habitual loafers, the unmanly toughs, and the indecent few that by their bad example contaminate many. The elimination of the gangs from our streets and public places removes many a nursery of crime, keeps misery from many a home and protects the public.

IRELAND AND THE WAR

Just at present a great many people who never took any interest in Ireland before are dilating upon what her attitude should be in the European war. They rake up the history of the past to excite the prejudice of Irishmen against England; but they fail to mention the undeniable fact that a peaceful revolution has been effected in Ireland during the last fifteen years and that but for the war Ireland would now be well started on an era of prosperity rarely equalled in her history, and yet but a preparation for the better times to come under home rule.

The war has affected conditions of course, but the Irish people under their able and responsible leader, know what they are doing, and they know too, what is coming to them at the end of the war. It is to their credit that they are not led into ruinous plots and discord by the paid agents of Germany. Nor is England to be criticized for suppressing pro-German newspapers notoriously supported by German funds.

It is fashionable in some quarters to revile Hon. John E. Redmond, the Irish leader. This is a favorite practice by some men who never before evinced any great interest in the Irish cause and who are in no sense authorized to speak for the Irish people either here or in Ireland. It is fortunate for Ireland that in this crisis she is guided by one of the ablest statesmen in Europe and a man whose patriotism is unquestioned. At present he is having a strong force of Irish volunteers trained at the expense of the government to be ready to defend home rule when the war is over should any attempt be made to restrict or delay its operation.

Everybody regrets the casualties in the war, of course, and no doubt there will be considerably more before the conflict is over; but if Mr. Redmond had opposed recruiting or advised neutrality, there would have been conscription in Ireland and Irishmen would go to the war in hand cuffs while the whole country would be under martial law if not made the scene of bloodshed. Nobody at the opening of this war had any idea that it would be such a terrible conflict; but now that the fate of Ireland is linked with England in the great international struggle, she must continue to do her share until peace is declared. She will then be in a position to defeat any possible attempt to overturn home rule.

The rebellion of 1798 would not be a circumstance to what would follow any backward step on the part of the government whether liberal or tory. Let no man assume that home rule is to be set aside. Mr. Redmond is making that impossible under any condition that can arise and the people are thoroughly united in support of his policy.

SECRET SESSIONS

We should have no secret sessions either in the municipal council or in the school department. On this point the charter is very specific, and any secret conclave, session or conference at a time of official meeting is not strictly in accordance with the spirit of the charter. Some of the worst evils of past administrations were directly due to such secret sessions or plots, and they have been frowned upon by the Lowell public. Recently there has been a tendency to revive secret conferences and sessions, but the practice will not stand the light of pitiless publicity.

It does not seem that in planning for a high school site, a contagious hospital site, a white way or any other improvement, the municipal council has anything to hide from the public; such things, if they are ever to come, will come through the expenditure of public moneys. In voting for improvements our city council simply plans to spend some of that money, and the public should be acquainted not only with the arranged facts but the entire process of coming at such an arrangement. Secret sessions tend to create suspicion in the public mind, and though the most honest aims were intended, one cannot blame the public for being curious. Our charter was arranged to do away with secret sessions knowingly and designedly, and any administration that ignores this fact will be advocating a very unpopular, undemocratic and dangerous measure.

It may be indeed that the publications of plans for a new high school, contagious hospital or other innovation would flood city hall with bids from real estate dealers. There is nothing undesirable in this. In fact, it is quite proper that the widest possible advertisement of such an intention were given, just as our supply department is supposed to provide for fair and open competition. The municipal council need never be afraid of action honestly and openly taken, but it has reason to avoid the secret session as something unpopular, undesirable and against the letter and spirit of the city charter.

ADVERTISING SIGNS

In the specific instance in which the city has withdrawn its intended action against a company that is about to erect an advertising sign, there may have been no other course open to the municipality; still, the episode should not be lost sight of until the law is amended or until a law is framed which would give the city authorities more power. It is decidedly wrong that any local or out of town concern has the power to come here and erect signs of any variety against the expressed will of the city. The withdrawal of the suit has established a very dangerous precedent, and some counter move is necessary if the rights of the public are to be safeguarded.

It is not in Lowell alone that a strong feeling has grown up against large and defacing advertising signs. Everywhere, the public is protesting and municipalities are seeking means to limit the erection of such signs or to make them conform to some code of regulations that will eliminate their most pernicious aspects. We may see, any day we go into our public streets, miserable little buildings right in the heart of our business districts, the owners of which get a good revenue from rented signs or bill boards that offend the eye, keep back property improvement, and make the streets most unlovely, and so long as these conditions are allowed to continue, it is useless to talk about city beautiful ideals. Occasionally one sees an advertising sign or collection of signs that ornament as well as advertise, but in most cases our bill boards and advertising signs are object lessons of the poorest taste.

Now it is alleged that there is no law which gives the city the right to stop the erection of some varieties of advertising signs, but the municipal council can frame an ordinance to prevent unsightly and dangerous signs in any part of the city. The sign evil has been allowed to go too far at the expense of the public welfare and safety.

FOR POLAND

One who walked through the public streets last Saturday and noted the great number of little Polish flags or tags that were worn by the masses must have realized that the appeal for aid was promptly and generously responded to. The American people have been accused of being a sordid and materialistic people but they have shown many times of late that they can always find sympathy in their hearts and money in their pockets when the cry for aid comes from any corner of the devastated earth. Belgium will always hold the spirit of the American people in high regard, and now it is most desirable that poor Poland should receive generous aid from the same quarter. Poland is one of the closest nations to us of all European nations, by the bond of her aspirations for liberty, her championing of the early American struggles, her admiration for our great men, her genius and her sufferings. She has sent us men and women who are among the finest of our immigrant strains, honest, industrious, liberty-loving and virtuous—a stock from which will spring great future Americans. Today she stands in need of aid as never before, and it is to be hoped that many who have not been approached will respond to her call. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the band of zealous workers last Saturday—Polish for the most part—made an excellent impression on the public by their sincerity, modesty and courteous activity.

INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT

Frank C. Tanner, who succeeded William Barnes as chairman of the republican state committee of New York last year, has issued a statement in which he condemns invisible government in New York, as revealed by the wonderful trial at Syracuse. He says—and who doubts it?—that at times neither the governor nor the legislature has been the real power in control of New York legislation, and he advocates plans to prevent a recurrence of such conditions. His remarks are applicable to all state government, to some extent. Briefly, his plans are to give the government more power, making him directly responsible to the public, and to do away with the many overlapping and conflicting powers of government now existing in certain quarters. The problem is a big one and it is not likely that reform can come all at once, but the Syracuse trial shows that all sincere men in politics and out have a grave and timely task on hand in the routing of evil influences that through graft, political chicanery and all the dubious methods of bossism and kindred ills make invisible government a menace to democracy.

Secretary Daniels is warming up. Smarting under continual and for the most part unjust criticism he now declares that one type of U. S. guns "will shoot farther, shoot straighter, and hit harder than any gun now in use or known to be designed by a foreign country." Bravo, Josh! Nothing of the battleship piffle about that.

The stores should not forget during this time of clean-up activity that clean sidewalks, shiny windows and attractive displays will help the cause along. It is most important to have cleanliness in the residential districts, but it is imperative that we have order and cleanliness in the business districts.

Washington reports optimism over the continued indications of business improvement. The increase is slow but is all the more sure for that reason. Still, it is but a prelude to coming prosperity, if Americans take advantage of their opportunities.

This is the best walking weather of the year. The roads are in good condition, the prospect is refreshing and spring throws its jewels in handfuls along the way. Look up, throw back the head and face the open fields. There, one finds not war but health and mental refreshment.

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THE INTRODUCTION

Some time ago an eminent speaker returned from a tour through the back counties, and gave a recital of his experiences to a few of his personal friends.

"Speaking of the inevitable chairman," smiled the orator, "I ran across one who was unique, indeed. Instead of making a speech about three hours long in introducing me, he——"

"I know," grinfully interjected one of his friends; "he just said: 'The orator of the evening,' and ducked."

"No, not exactly," responded the speaker. He said: 'I don't intend to stand here and bore you ladies and gentlemen, but will introduce Mr. Smith, who can do it a whole lot better.'"

SHIRT-SLEEVE GENERAL

It was in South Africa that General French earned the title of the "shirt-sleeve general"—a sobriquet that conveys a subtle compliment from "Tommy's point of view. Actually French was often to be seen walking about in camp during his heavy marches in shirt-sleeves, writes Mr. Cecil Chisholm, in his biography of Sir John French (Jenkins.)

One afternoon a correspondent rode up to the lines, and, seeing a soldier sitting on a bundle of hay, smoking a dilapidated looking old briar pipe, asked where the general was.

"The old man is somewhere about," coolly replied the soldier.

"Well, just hold my horse while I go and search for him."

"Certainly, sir," and the smoker rose obediently and took the bridle.

"Can you tell me where the general is?" inquired the correspondent of a staff officer farther down the line.

"Gen. French? Oh, he's somewhere about. Why, there he is, hold that horse's head!"

And the officer pointed directly to the smoker, still tranquilly pulling at his pipe and holding the horse. Needless to say, "Uncle French" and his men hugely enjoyed the correspondent's awakening.

HARD TO BE FUNNY

Charles Chaplin, known as the funniest man in the movies, frequently seen in the films in local theatres was unknown a little more than a year ago and today theatre patrons the whole world over are laughing at him. "Being funny is serious business," says Chaplin, "but if you take it seriously it's fatal. Sounds like a paradox doesn't it? Let me try and explain just what I mean. "It is the character itself you are attempting to portray that contains whatever bits of comedy you are going to succeed in 'getting over.' The peculiarities, idiosyncracies or peculiar situations in which you can place the character are innumerable. In consequence playing say a comedy barber role calls for very serious study of the character of a barber. The moment, however, you have drained dry the particular character you are studying you must drop all evidence of seriousness and proceed to act the part with such spontaneity that when the camera records your efforts it will appear as though each motion you have made was done on the spur of the moment. There must be realism in comedy. Coarse burlesque is no longer wanted. It is the deviation from the ordinary that makes the picture funny. Some little act that is unexpected and causes a surprise brings the laughs. But this act must be natural and in accordance with what the character might easily do in real life. If the action appears to be forced it merely appears absurd and fails to be funny."

LAW OF LARCENY

I noticed that Madge didn't speak to Lucille,
The chum of her heart, when they met on the street;
And my curious wonder I could not conceal,
So I asked: "Why this coolness when bosom friends meet?"

Said Madge: "I'd a kiss stolen from me last night,
By Harold Van Duser (of sinners the chief);
And later, Lucille took that kiss with delight—
I regard the receiver as worse than the thief."
—John W. Condon in Manchester Union.

If Madge tells the truth, when Lucille "took that kiss"
From poor helpless Harold, it's our firm belief
Though it injure her pride and puncture her bliss,
She was not a receiver, but just a plain thief.

But ere we condemn her let's get at the facts:
She stole what was stolen before, we suppose.
Now what is the rule in regard to such acts?
"Second thief is best owner," the old saying goes.
—Rody McPhee in Springfield Union.

If the kiss is her property, Madge's we mean,
And one she could recognize plainly on sight,
We believe we could fix the whole case all serene.
Please Lucille and please Madge and please Harold, all right.

Have Lucille give the kiss back to Harold-ker-smack!
In the presence of Madge, to see it was the one;
Then, when he had got it, Madge might take it back.
Then all would be as 'er the trouble begun.
—Judd M. Lewis in Houston Post.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

HIGHER EDUCATION

It would seem that circumstances are tending toward free higher education. States may before long furnish free college instruction just as cities do free school instruction. The result may be fewer private schools, but it cannot be [illegible]. Such schools would not, we should imagine, appeal as generally as the public grammar and high schools do. The number to whom higher education is [illegible] something is limited. Instead of encouraging a college education for every boy and girl, there should be a call for the select fit. There should be no wastage in free higher education.—Woonsocket Call.

THE EXPOSURES

The trial of the Barnes-Roosevelt libel suit continues to bring to public notice the inside of a number of political deals which [illegible] leaders of the republican and democratic parties in New York in the past. These disclosures would be a benefit if there were any likelihood that the exposure will prevent a recurrence of such things, but can anything prevent this so long as political parties are conducted as they have been and still are?—Newport News.

LYNN CLEAN-UP

"A stitch in time saves nine," says the proverb, and if the spirit of the saying is allowed to control the action of housekeepers, their premises will be far more pleasing in appearance than the ordinary back yard in the opening days of spring. Now that the city has undergone a regular spring cleaning, the thing to be done is to make its present condition permanent. Cleaning by instalments and at frequent intervals will relieve the necessity of such work as that which has engaged the attention of the people during the week now closing.—Lynn Item.

INFLOW OF WORKERS

That inflow of workmen from Europe that President Gompers would have the government restrict ought to be left to work itself out. If the workmen come to this country it will be because there is opportunity to work in this country—somebody wants to hire help. The man who wants to hire help ought to be allowed to. It means that more work will be done. More wages. More money spent in the stores. Greater prosperity.—Lewiston Sun.

NAVAL ACTIVITY

Vague rumors of new activity on the part of the German high seas fleet have not, so far, developed any real evidence of a departure from the waiting policy of the kaiser's navy. The reported shelling of Dunkirk is now said to have been conducted from a point some miles inland, not from warships. The German headquarters statement confirms this later view. The belief that naval lines are slackening is an apprehension rather than a discovery. The expectation of a great naval test has been strengthened, lately.—Brockton Times.

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BOY MURDERED

Mutilated Body Was Found in Tenement Hallway, New York

NEW YORK, May 4.—Charles Murray, 4½ years old, was murdered last night near his home on the lower East Side by an unknown person. The child's mutilated body was found in the hallway of a tenement house not far from the scene of the recent murder of Leonore Cohen, aged 5.

The Cohen girl's body was found on March 19 last and, like that of the Murray boy, had been hacked with a knife. The murderer was never caught.

Charles Murray was seen playing in the yard back of his home last night 20 minutes before the crime was committed. A 6-year-old sister of the murdered boy gave the police a description of a foreigner who, she said, she saw hurry out of the hallway before the finding of the body.

As in the Cohen case, the murderer left no clue. The father of the boy stated that his son returned Sunday from a two days' visit to relatives in Brooklyn. He said members of his family had never been threatened.

A man who was accused by young girls of chasing them with a knife was taken into custody shortly before the body of the Murray boy was found.

GAS ON THE STOMACH

When colicky pains accompany the presence of gas on the stomach the need of a gentle laxative to clear away the offending food residue is imperative. If the condition of constipation is not quickly corrected coated tongue, eruptions on the skin, headaches, and backaches soon show that the poisons have found their way into the circulation.

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MOTORIST IN COURT

CHARGED WITH FAILING TO STOP WHEN PASSENGERS ON A STREET CAR WERE ALIGHTING

LAWRENCE, May 4.—Joseph F. Bertsch of Jamaica Plain was in the district court here yesterday before Judge Mahoney, charged with violating the automobile laws and the city ordinances. The case was continued until May 13. It is charged that the defendant failed to bring his machine to a stop when passengers were alighting from a street car and also failed to keep on the right side of the street and as near the curbing as possible.

William Anderson of 95 Osgood street and George Towler of North Andover were struck Saturday night by Bertsch's car in front of the Bay State street railway transfer station, but escaped with minor injuries.

COBURN MISSION

A feature of the annual meeting of the Coburn Mission Sunday school, which was held at the mission in Varnum avenue, was the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Superintendent, Carl H. Palm; assistant superintendent, Henry Palm; secretary, Ralph Tewksbury; assistant secretary, Hazel Milliken; treasurer, Percy Edwards; assistant treasurer, Anna P. Marshall; librarian, Harold Fall; assistant librarian, Olga Boudry; prayer meeting committee, chairman, Olive Palm, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Milliken, E. Louise Field; social committee, chairman, Mrs. C. Boudry, Olive Palm; flower committee, chairman, Edna Palm, Rae Clark, Olga Boudry; calling committee, chairman, Carl H. Palm, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Miller; building committee, chairman, Arnold B. Marshall, J. Hoyle, Henry Palm; library committee, chairman, Louise Field, Mr. Boudry, Anna P. Marshall; auditing committee, chairman, Herbert Palm, Mrs. Arnold B. Marshall; press committee, chairman, Henry Palm, Arnold Marshall.

TUFTS EXPERT'S BILL CUT

Judge Reduces Sum Given Dr. A. W. Balch for Service at Worcester Murder Trial to $225

WORCESTER, May 4.—Dr. Alfred W. Balch of Tufts medical school, who served as blood expert for the defense in the trial of Felix Vadenais, Jr., of Manchaug on charge of murder of Joseph S. Goldberg, is allowed $225 for his services by Judge Sanderson who presided.

Dr. Balch presented a bill for $275, including $150 for three days' laboratory work.

The court has allowed the bill of $500 of Dr. W. F. Whitney of Harvard Medical school, blood expert for the government.

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CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, May 4—Congressional investigation of the appointment of Chas. N. Nagel, former secretary of commerce and labor, as neutral member of the arbitration board which settled the wage dispute of engineers and firemen on 98 western railroads was demanded in a resolution adopted last night by delegates representing the men's organizations.

Such an investigation is necessary the resolution asserted, if further controversies between labor and capital are to be adjusted amicably.

AVIATOR MAYES KILLED

EL PASO, Texas, May 4.—Jack Mayes, a San Francisco aviator, was killed yesterday at Aguascalientes in making a test flight of one of the aeroplanes purchased for the Villa army, according to a telegram reaching here yesterday.

The message said Mayes was flying at the rate of sixty miles an hour when his biplane struck a building, crushing the aviator's head and shoulders.

AVERT STRIKE OF CLERKS

Mission of U. S. Mediators Proves Successful at New Haven—Differences Due to Promotion Plan

HARTFORD, Conn., May 4.—A strike among the freight clerks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has been averted, it was learned here yesterday, through the mediation of two men sent here recently from Washington by the department of labor.

The men were Clifton Reeves and Patrick Gilday. They spent several days in Hartford and in New Haven and returned to Washington Sunday.

They had a conference with R. G. Stearns of New Haven, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Freight Clerks, and Mr. Stearns was quoted yesterday as saying that, while there were differences between the men and the company, there would be no strike now.

Details of the trouble were refused, but it is understood that it had to do with the plan followed in making promotions, it being claimed that the men promoted do not receive the same salaries as those whose places they take.

Last Friday, when it was announced in Washington that the two mediators had been named, Pres. Elliott of the New Haven gave out a statement saying he knew of no trouble between the road and its employes.

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TO JOIN RED CROSS IN SERBIA

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—Six Brown men last night signified their intention of joining the American Red Cross in Serbia where a campaign against the ravages of typhus fever is being conducted. The men will leave for Serbia May 13, at which time a contingent from several universities will be sent.

The men are as follows: Graduate student, Lowell C. Kendrick, of this city; senior, Homer F. Van Derwerken of Middle Granville, N. Y.; juniors, Paul L. Russell of White Plains, N. Y., Harold G. Sacton of Brockton, Mass., and Henry L. Cohen of this city; sophomore, Isaac Y. Olch of this city.

WILL APPEAL SHOE DECISION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Attorney-General Gregory yesterday decided to appeal to the supreme court the antitrust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company, recently dismissed by a federal court at Boston.

Appeal will be taken under the expediting act, and the attorney-general will ask for a writ of error. Arguments will be made at the fall term of court, if possible. Mr. Gregory looks upon this case as one of the most important now in the court involving the Sherman anti-trust act.

The department is considering bringing in the near future an additional proceeding against the shoe company under the Clayton anti-trust act, which forbids "tying contracts" such as the government alleges this company has used in dealing with competitors.

PAY HONOR TO PRES. SHUMAN

BOSTON, May 4.—A. Shuman was tendered a complimentary luncheon at the City club yesterday noon following his election for the 25th term as president of the board of trustees of the Boston City hospital. Mr. Shuman is now serving his 30th term as a member of the board. Following the luncheon, Mr. Shuman reviewed at considerable length the work being done at the City hospital and the hopes that he had for its future success. He also expressed pleasure at the possibilities laid open to the trustees through the taking over of the West Roxbury Parental school buildings.

Joseph P. Manning was elected secretary for a fourth term.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE

The regular meeting of the members of Tewksbury grange will be held in Vestry hall, Centre village, this evening and the public is cordially invited. The subject of discussion will be "Education."

KEITH'S THEATRE

Crowded houses should prevail at all performances at Keith's theatre this week, for the program there is one of the best ever given in this city. All acts are of the top notch variety and each is sufficiently classy to be styled as a headliner. The audience last night was very large and that those present enjoyed the program was attested by the applause that greeted each and every number.

One of the most novel offerings seen here in many moons is "The Fashion Shop." The feature is one that is bound to please even the most fastidious theatre goer. Hugo Jansen is a real designer of women's garb, and he demonstrates during the time that he is before the footlights just how to adjust yards of material to the figures of the four young women who assist him in his number to bring attractive results. Jansen works with pins and deft fingers, and the remarkable gowns that are so made up would cause the spectator to believe that he were at an extensive gown shop.

Of course, the gowns were draped around experienced demonstrators, but nevertheless the expeditious manner in which the work is carried out by Mr. Jansen stamps him as a wonder at the game.

He takes a few yards of cloth, throws it around the model, and in a shorter time than it takes to tell it you are confronted with a woman all dressed for a ball.

Altogether six dresses are fashioned, each entirely distinctive, and on the final three days of the week Jansen will change his program of gown creating entirely, and will advance a half dozen of new models.

A pleasing comedy story is included in the feature, and this adds greatly to its successful presentation. Blanche Latell appears as the farmer's daughter, "Neuralgia," and Earl Corr, an experienced funny man, is seen to advantage as "Hiram Corncob," who is on a tour of sightseeing in New York. Maida Burker, as the principal model, sings and dances cleverly.

Five young women designated as the Five Violin Beauties contribute a very pleasing number. Included in the quintet is Miss Ethel Sharrow of Lowell whose ability is well known to Lowellites. At last night's show she was given an ovation. The girls play, dance and sing, and do all excellently. Their final number shows them appearing in costumes of various nationalities and playing melodies suggestive of those nationalities. Daphne Lewis made an attractive Scotch lassie, and Maziebelle Valeta was a rollicking Dutch fraulein, while Miss Sharrow, dancing an Irish jig inimitably, was a real hit as a colleen from the Emerald isle. Miriam Glover played a hot-blooded Spanish number, and looked the senorita from Spain, while little Miss Anderson wound up the review as a harem beauty.

A voice usually heard at a grand opera performance emanated from behind the wings of the stage last night and sweetly floated over the theatre and all prepared to look upon the prima donna who finally appears and to the surprise of all, the owner of the sweet voice is a mere man. The act is labelled Milo—?—but there is no question about the ability of the performer. He possesses a beautiful voice and knows how to use it to the best possible advantage.

A very clever little comedy entitled "The Fixer," is also on the bill. It shows the woman editor of a country newspaper, the corrupt mayor of a backwoods burg, the omnipresent printer's devil, and the advance man of a circus engaged in a tangle, which only ends when the advance man—the fixer—hands a seckdologer to the mayor and decides that he will settle down in a small town, and take unto himself a bride. Walter D. Nealand, is all that would be desired as the fixer, and Miss Marion Buell is adequate as the woman editor, while William Howatt furnishes considerable good comedy as the devil.

Hilton and Roberts furnish a good number, replete with fun and laughter and Marcus and Clements give several grand opera numbers that please immensely. The musical chef, the opening number, and the Hearst-Selig pictures are very good. The football game last fall, between the teams of St. John's academy, Danvers, and St. Vincent de Paul's team, of the Middle West, is bound to arouse enthusiasm.

Good seats may be obtained in advance at the box office. The telephone number is 28.

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Wilton Lackaye in "THE PIT." 5 Others

THE OWL THEATRE

Nance O'Neil, the idol of Lowell, a former resident of our city, and a world-famous tragedienne attracted record-breaking crowds at the Owl theatre yesterday. She was starred as Miriam in "The Kreutzer Sonata" a famous play written by the celebrated Count Leo Tolstoi. This production is the most dramatic film portrayal ever seen in Lowell. It is a maelstrom of emotion in which Miss O'Neil is seen to her greatest advantage. Her acting is a marvel of the art of expression. They may hire actresses from far away, but the American actress is the nearest to the heart of the public as was shown yesterday. Five other films complete a great show. It will be repeated today. Coming Wednesday and Thursday, "The Pit," with Wilton Lackaye, the play which he made famous on the stage.

KEITH'S THEATRE

ALL THIS WEEK

Best Show of the Season

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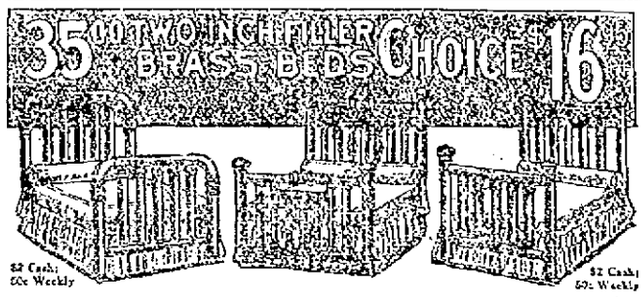

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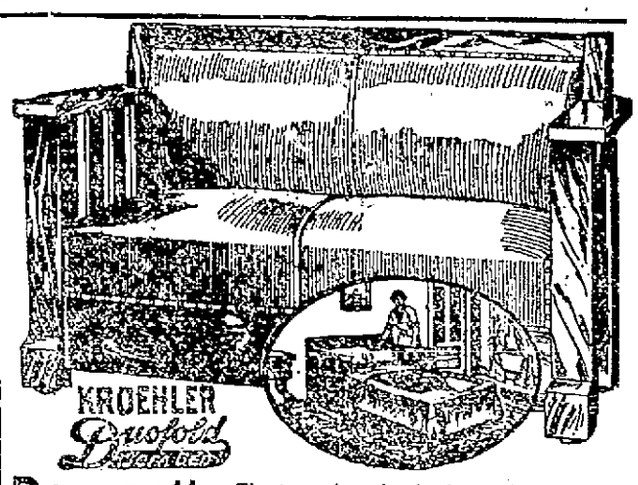

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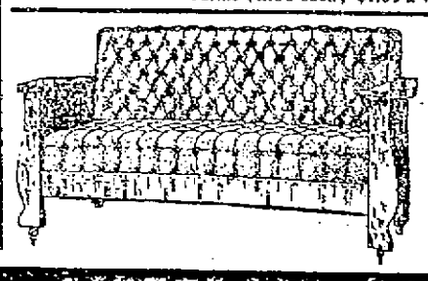

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MURDER CHARGE

Witnesses Say Wife Said, "I Killed My Husband With Stick"

WISCASSET, Me., May 4.—"I killed my husband. I had been playing on the organ and went out and picked up a stick of wood and I struck him on the head. He never breathed nor moved afterward."

Edwin and Byron French, prominent citizens of Somerville, will testify that this statement was made voluntarily to them several days after the death of Fred T. Hisler at Somerville on Feb. 7, by his wife who was placed on trial in the supreme court today for the charge of murder, according to the opening address by County Attorney James B. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor.

Attorney Perkins also said he would attempt to prove that Mrs. Hisler had admitted her guilt to other persons and that she previously had threatened to take her husband's life by "beating out his brains" and by "cutting his heart out." The state contends that the alleged motive was jealousy. Mrs. Hisler is past 50. Her husband was about 35.

The state will try to show that she told conflicting stories about the circumstances of his death, first stating he was taken sick out of doors and entered the house, then saying that he became ill while in the house.

Except for two abrasions on the right temple nothing was found at the autopsy to indicate the cause of death, nor was there any trace of poison revealed by an analysis of the contents of the stomach and kidneys at Bowdoin college, according to the county attorney.

Three of the 12 witnesses called by the state had been examined when the noon recess was taken. The trial probably will not be finished before Thursday.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

sion concerning participation in the war. Rome despatches say that new offers have been presented on behalf of Austria in an effort to satisfy Italy's territorial demands.

King Victor Emmanuel's decision not to attend the unveiling of the Garibaldi monument is regarded as indicating that no warlike action will be taken in the immediate future, for it was the opinion in Rome that his presence on this occasion would have been equivalent to a declaration of war on Austria. Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador is credited with having averted a crisis by presenting the new offers.

Information from Vienna which the Austrian military authorities are now willing to have known shows that the sudden attack on the Russians in western Galicia was the result of an elaborate plan made by the German and Austrian military chiefs several weeks ago. A large army of fresh Austrian and German troops was concentrated before Cracow for the attack.

German Claims Exaggerated

Unofficial advices from Russian sources assert that the German claims of victory are exaggerated, although it is admitted the movement was an important one. The Russian war office has had little to say concerning this situation further than to state that violent fighting has taken place. A London despatch concedes that if it is true the Russian front has been pierced the war will be prolonged greatly.

Austrians Attack Montenegrins

Simultaneously with the new attack on the Russian front Austria has resumed operations against Montenegro, after a lull over the greater part of the winter. An official Montenegrin statement says Austrian attacks all along the front were repulsed. At Berlin it is said a new Austrian army has been prepared to resume the campaign against Serbia.

Fighting in Dardanelles

Little news comes from the Dardanelles. One unofficial despatch says fierce fighting is proceeding day and night. It is reported the Turks have suffered heavily and that their most important defenses are now invested, but such reports as come from Constantinople continue to present an optimistic view of the situation.

BRITISH STEAMER MINTERNE TORPEDOED OFF THE SCILLY ISLANDS

LONDON, May 4.—The British steamer Minterne, from Cardiff for the river Platt, with 6000 tons of coal was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands Monday. Two firemen were killed and the second engineer was injured. The wounded man and the remainder of the crew have been landed at Penzance.

The striking of the torpedo was the first intimation that a submarine was in the neighborhood. The crew took to their boats and were rescued by fishing vessels.

The Minterne was of 1965 tons net and was 330 feet long. She was built in 1903 and owned in London.

NINE VESSELS TORPEDOED BY GERMAN SUBMARINES IN THREE DAYS

Nine steamships, five of them of neutral registry, and four trawlers, a total of 13 vessels, have been torpedoed by German submarines in the last three days, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Of the neutral ships, three were Norwegian, one Swedish and one American. All four trawlers were British owned.

The list is as follows:

Svorono, Russian, 2660 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the west coast of Ireland.

Edale, British, 3110 tons, torpedoed on Saturday, locality unknown.

Europe, French, 2895 tons, torpedoed on Saturday off the Scilly Islands.

Fulgent, British, 1202 tons, torpedoed off Skelling rocks on Saturday. One lifeboat known to have been filled with men missing.

Laila, Norwegian, 753 tons, torpedoed on Saturday in the North sea.

British trawler destroyed on Sunday, name and scene of attack unknown.

Gulflight, American, 3202 tons, torpedoed on Sunday off the Scilly Islands. Two sailors drowned, and the captain dead from heart failure.

Sunray, British trawler, torpedoed on Sunday 80 miles northeast of the Tyne.

Elida, Swedish, 694 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

America, Norwegian, 3850 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Baldwin, Norwegian, 1155 tons, torpedoed on Monday in the North sea.

Mercury, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

Mark Ban, a British trawler, torpedoed on Monday 50 miles off Aberdeen.

AUSTRIAN ADVANCE AT CIEZKOWICE IN THE CARPATHIANS CHECKED

LONDON, May 4.—A Petrograd despatch to the Times dated Monday says:

"The Austrian advance at Ciezkowice in the Carpathians, although checked is deemed to be highly symptomatic. Ciezkowice is situated on the Donajec near Gorlice and Tarnow on the roads from Tymbark to Cracow and the enemy's movements here are of no less importance than at Stry and other sections of our front.

"The Austrians have concentrated here very considerable and entirely fresh reinforcements from the interior. Their advance was facilitated by the open character of the terrain, which is admirably adapted to fighting. The enemy set himself the task not only of dislodging us from the line of the Donajec but of influencing our position on the lower Nida."

REPORTED RUSSIAN DEFEAT TOOK PRECEDENCE OVER OTHER NEWS

LONDON, May 4.—The reported Russian reverse in western Galicia took precedence over all other phases of the war today and even overshadowed discussion of the forthcoming budget. Striking an average between Austrian and German accounts London newspapers agree that the Russians must have been pushed back a considerable distance along this front, which runs north and south a distance of about 60 miles from the Carpathians above Bartfeld to the junction of the Dunajec and Vistula rivers on the border of Russian Poland.

Petrograd expresses little concern over the situation although admitting that the Austro-German forces are making strong attacks along the front on which they claim a great victory.

German official advices concerning operations on the western front confirm the French and British reports of attacks by the invaders on St. Julien, but nothing is said about the assertion of the allies that hill number 60 is again the object of the German offensive.

No further official news has been received from the allies concerning the Dardanelles operations, but publication of a long list of casualties gives ample evidence of the stubborn opposition with which the Turks met the landing of troops.

Russia is again co-operating in the attack on Constantinople by renewing bombardment of the Bosphorus forts.

Italy is occupying the center of the diplomatic stage, but there is little in the way of authentic news from Rome. Latest information is that negotiations between Italy and Austria after being broken off as the result of a deadlock have once more been resumed.

The crisis in the Chino-Japanese negotiations is attracting much attention here. The press discusses the controversy with reserve, although this attitude does not conceal the fact that there is considerable uneasiness over the situation in the far east.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE OFF GALLOPER LIGHTSHIP

BERLIN, May 4.—The German admiralty has issued an announcement setting forth that on May 1 a German submarine sunk the British torpedoboat destroyer Recruit in the neighborhood of the Galloper lightship.

On the same day near the North

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75½	73½	73¾
Am Beet Sugar	48⅜	47½	48¼
Am Can	41¾	39⅝	41
Am Can pf	99½	99	99½
Am Car & Fn	56¼	55⅛	55¼
Am Car & Fn pf	116	116	116
Am Cot Oil	51½	50	50¾
Am Hide & L pf	35½	31⅞	35½
Am Locomo	56	52½	53
Am Locomo pf	98	98	98
Am Smelt & R	72½	71¼	72
Am Smelt & R pf	108	108	108
Am Sugar Rfn	111	110½	111
Anaconda	36	35	35⅞
Atchison	102⅛	101	101⅛
Atchison pf	100	100	100
Balt & Ohio	76½	75½	76½
Balt & Ohio pf	71½	71	71
Br Rap Tran	90	89½	90
Canadian Pa	162¾	161	162½
Cent Leather	40⅝	35½	40½
Cent Leather pf	103	103	103
Ches & Ohio	46½	46	46½
Chi & Gt W	12⅞	12½	12⅞
Col Fuel	32	31	31½
Consol Gas	130⅜	129½	129½
Del & Hud	151	151	151
Den & Rio G pf	15	15	15
Dis Secur Co	15	14¾	14⅞
Erie	28¼	27¾	28
Erie 1st pf	43⅜	41	43½
Erie 2d pf	36	35¼	36
Gen Elec	157½	156½	157½
Gt North pf	120⅞	120½	120¾
Gt N Ore ctf	36¾	36	36¾
Illinois Cen	110	110	110
Int Met Com	22½	21½	22
Int Met Com pf	72¾	71¼	72¾
Int Paper pf	40	40	40
In S Pump Co	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
Kan City So	27½	26¼	27½
Kan City So pf	59½	58⅞	59½
Kan & Texas	13½	12½	13½
Lehigh Valley	143½	142⅞	143
Missouri Pa	15	14⅞	15
Nat Lead	68½	64½	68½
N Y Air Brake	95½	92	94
N Y Central	89½	88½	89
Nor & West	105	105	105
No Am Co	77	77	77
North Pacific	109½	108	108¾
Ont & West	32¾	31½	32½
Pennsylvania	108¾	108	108⅝
Pressed Steel	51	46	49
Ry St Sp Co	36	35	35½
Reading	149½	148¼	148⅞
Rep Iron & S	30⅞	29⅝	30
St Paul	94½	92½	93¾
So Pacific	92½	91½	91¾
Southern Ry	18⅞	18	18⅝
Southern Ry pf	57	57	57
Tenn Copper	34	32½	34
Texas Pac	16½	16½	16½
Third Ave	53½	53	53½
Union Pacific	131½	129½	130
Union Pac pf	81½	81⅛	81¾
U S Rub	69¾	68	68¾
U S Rub pf	107½	107½	107½
U S Steel	58⅞	57⅞	58⅛
U S Steel pf	108⅝	108½	108½
U S Steel 5s	102½	102⅜	102⅜
Utah Copper	67⅝	65½	66½
Wabash R R	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Wab R R pf	2⅞	2½	2½
Westinghouse	103⅞	97⅞	101½
Western Un	69½	68	69

WAR SPECIALTIES FELL

TRADING LIGHT DURING MORNING—UPWARD TENDENCY AFTER NOON HOUR

NEW YORK, May 4.—War specialties fell back again at the outset of today's trading, Pressed Steel losing 6½ points with declines of one to almost two points in General Electric, Am. Locomotive, Baldwin Loco and National Lead. U. S. Steel yielded half a point on heavy offerings. Standard railroads were mostly lower while minor stocks of that class made slight gains. Coppers were variable. There were partial recoveries before the end of the first half hour.

Trading was relatively light in the morning hours and became increasingly dull toward midday when representative shares showed general gains. Canadian Pacific recovered part of yesterday's loss and Rock Island was higher, presumably in connection with latest developments affecting that property. Industrials and the miscellaneous group presented a mixture of losses and gains, motor issues being especially strong.

The more pronounced upward tendency of the early afternoon was led by such favorites as Penna. and U. S. Steel and others of the same group. These rose from one to almost two points.

With the exception of Westinghouse, prices eased in the final dealings. Studebaker yielded five points in declaration of an initial dividend of 1¼ per cent. The closing was irregular.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 4.—Weakness in Zinc stocks and United Shoe was the feature of the opening sales on the stock exchange today. American Zinc broke to 40 1-2 in the first half-hour. Copper shares were easy, but Calumet & Hecla continued downward, reaching 550, a decline of 50 points in a week.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 4.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 9.60; July 9.80; Aug. 9.95; Oct. 10.13; Dec. 10.39; Jan. 10.44; March 10.67.

The close was steady. May 9.76, July 10.06; Oct. 10.39; Dec. 10.55; Jan. 10.63; March 10.83.

Spot quiet. Middling 10.30.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 4.—Mercantile paper, 3½ and ¾. Sterling exchange, steady; 60 day bills, 4.7650; for cables, 4.7975; for demand, 4.7925. Bar silver, 50⅛. Mexican dollars, 38¾. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans, easy; 60 and 90 days, 2½ and ¾; six months, 3¼ and ½.

Call money, steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	152	152	152
Boston Elevated	82	82	82
Bos & Maine	37	35	36⅝
Fitchburg pf	69⅛	69½	69½
N Y & N H	68⅝	66½	67¼
MINING			
Adventure	2¾	2½	2½
Alaska Gold	37¼	35⅞	37¼
Algomah	3¼	3	3¼
Allouez	54	52	53½
American zinc	43½	40⅛	43
Arcadian	10½	9⅞	10½
Ariz Com	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛
Butt & Superior	68½	65	68
Cal & Ariz	70	68¾	70
Cal & Hecla	570	550	570
Centennial	21⅛	20½	21⅛
Chino	46¼	44	46
Copper Range	56½	54	56½
Daly-West	3	3	3
E Butte	13¼	12½	13
Franklin	11⅞	10½	11⅛
Granby	85	82	85
Greene-Cananea	31⅞	30	31⅞
Hancock	22	20	21
Indiana	8½	8	8½
Isle Royale	28	27	28
Kerr Lake	5	5	5
Lake	14½	13	14
La Salle	7	6½	7
Mass	12¾	12	12½
Mayflower	6	5¾	5¾
Miami	26¼	25½	26
Mohawk	74	70	73½
Nevada	15¼	14⅞	15¼
Nipissing	6½	6½	6⅝
North Butte	34½	33¼	34½
No. Lake	3	3	3
Old Colony	5	5	5
Old Dominion	53½	51½	53½
Osceola	84	82	84
Quincy	85¼	81	84
Ray Con	23¼	22⅝	23⅛
Santa Fe	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Shannon	6	8¼	6
Superior	24½	22⅞	23½
Superior & Boston	4	3⅞	3⅞
Tamarack	38¾	35½	38½
Trinity	6	6	6
U S Smelting	35⅞	33½	35½
U S Smelting pf	48⅝	46¼	48½
Utah-Apex	3⅞	3½	3⅝
Utah Cons	13	12½	12¾
Wolverine	62½	61	62½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	122⅞	122	122½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem pf	92½	92½	92½
Am Pneu pf	16	16	16
Am Woolen pf	88	87½	87½
Mass Elec	6½	6½	6½
Mass Elec pf	41¾	41¾	41¾
Mass Gas	82¼	82¼	82¼
Pond Creek	16	16	16
Swift & Co	109¼	109	109¼
United Fruit	140½	140	140½
United Sh M	61½	59¾	59¾

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

Light Corporation for pole locations and conduits in connection with the white way, were slated for a hearing May 15.

The petition of Rev. Charles J. Galligan for the relocation of an electric light in Stevens street was ordered for a hearing May 15.

Claims for personal injuries were referred as were minor petitions having to do with lights, streets and sidewalks.

Relocation of Tracks

The order for the relocation of the tracks of the street railway company in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets was read and adopted.

A report relative to a sewer in Upham street was read and the order providing for it was adopted.

An order to change a portion of the lines in Rogers and Fairmount streets and widen said streets was adopted.

An order for the seizure of land at the corner of Rogers and Nesmith streets, to facilitate travel, the property of the William Spalding heirs, was adopted.

An order for the abatement of a sidewalk assessment at 55 Starbird street, amounting to $21.78, was adopted.

The petition of Margaret F. Carrey for a sidewalk in Pine street took the usual course.

Commissioner Putnam was authorized to pay Charles P. Conant $460 and Ira P. Hersey $200 in connection with fire loss adjustment at Memorial hall.

The Sign Question

George W. Morrison appeared before the council for the purpose of urging the advisability of making awning companies and persons who make a business of erecting signs give the city a bond of $1000 and supply liability accident insurance.

Mr. Morrison thought that if a person was injured by a falling sign in the street the city would be liable, but Mayor Murphy and Commissioners Duncan and Carmichael did not quite agree with him. They allowed the city would not be held responsible unless the case was one where a sign had been in a dangerous condition sufficiently long for the authorities to have had knowledge of the fact.

Commissioner [illegible] said that an ordinance covering signs had been in effect here for years, but the trouble is it hasn't been enforced.

Mr. [illegible] that Boston [illegible] could come here and do what they wanted; swing a sign in any old style or put it in any old place. Commissioner [illegible], who was seated at the reporters' table took exception to the statement.

"They [illegible] to do anything they want, because I stopped them. I required all of them to have permits," said Mr. Cummings.

Paving Block Contracts

The mayor read a communication from Louis F. Palmer & Sons relative to paving blocks and objecting to the treatment given him, especially because of the fact that he had 6600 linear feet of edgestones out of a contract for about 10,000 feet left on his hands, and understood that a contract for edgestones had been recently made with another concern.

The communication rather roiled Charlie Morse who said he would take Palmer & Sons' edgestones off their hands, but he suggested that he didn't want to be interfered with by every Tom, Dick and Harry.

Approval of Contracts

The council did not approve the contract executed by the purchasing agent and the H. E. Fletcher Co., of West Chelmsford for 10,000 feet, more or less, of granite edgestones, and 500 feet, more or less of circle stone; the contract referred to in the Palmer communication.

Contracts approved included one with Edward Cawley for the furnishing of a supply of vitrified sewer pipe; the Franklin Forestry company of Boston for 15,000 white pine trees, three-year transplants on a lot of land on Pawtucket boulevard. The contracts for Portland cement, the alleged award of which was objected to by Mr. Cawley, was productive of some discussion. The contracts as prepared by the purchasing agent with E. A. Wilson & Co., for 500 barrels and Daniel T. Sullivan for 5500 barrels, was before the council. Com. Carmichael suggested that new specifications be drawn up. "Mr. Cawley," said Mr. Carmichael, "states that he will furnish the cement asked for, and in his proposal he agrees to furnish it according to the specifications. His bid is more than $1200 less than contemporary bidders."

City Solicitor Hennessey was called in and said that in his opinion, Mr. Cawley did not live up to the spirit and letter of the specifications.

Commissioner Duncan said that in order for Mr. Cawley to keep within his proposal he would have to deliver either one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

It was shown by the records that in 1913 D. T. Sullivan neglected to mention a particular brand of cement and that his bid was thrown out in favor of Mr. Cawley, the latter being granted the contract.

Mayor Murphy said that what Mr. Cawley was willing to do now, had nothing to do with the question. "Has he adhered to the specifications? That said the mayor is the question."

Purchasing Agent Foye

Purchasing Agent Foye then made a statement in defense of his own position as attacked, he said, by an advertisement appearing in a morning paper, signed by Mr. Cawley, and addressed to the public.

Mr. Foye explained that five brands of Portland cement had been named in the specifications and that Mr. Cawley did not mention any one of the five brands in his bid, but simply mentioned Portland cement. "I consulted with the city solicitor," said Mr. Foye, "and he told me he thought if the contract was awarded Mr. Cawley it would be impossible to exact from him any one of the five brands mentioned in the specifications.

"It was immaterial to me as to whom the contract would be awarded, but it was my duty to protect the city's interests. There was [illegible] against Mr. Cawley as one [illegible] by reading the advertisement [illegible] the morning paper. He [illegible] similar contracts [illegible] years [illegible]."

Mr. Morse: "The city solicitor drew up the contract?"

"Yes Sir."

"Was the contract drawn the same as in former years?" [illegible] Mr. Duncan, and Mr. Foye said it was.

"Mr. Cawley specified no particular brand?" queried Mr. Carmichael.

"No. Nothing more than Portland cement," said Mr. Foye.

Mr. Carmichael then read a portion of Mr. Cawley's communication in which it was stated that he, Mr. Cawley, had gone over the specifications carefully and would supply the kind of cement called for, in all respects.

"What do you think about it, Mr. Mayor?" asked Mr. Carmichael.

"I think he did not bid according to specifications," said the mayor.

Mr. Carmichael—"The best way is to get their bids on every brand."

Mr. Morse "I can object to any and all bids—the whole business."

Mayor Murphy—"Yes—and now is the time to do it."

Mr. Carmichael—"Do you really know the kind you want?"

Mr. Morse—"I certainly do."

The Mayor—"It is up to you."

Mr. Morse—"I can take Lehigh for streets and object to the sewer contracts."

Mr. Duncan—"Mr. Morse wants the option of saying what kind of five brands he shall have.

Mr. Morse—"I don't believe in throwing out bids. That is all boys' play to me. These men are all in good standing, Cawley, Sullivan, Wilson and the whole bunch of them."

Mr. Carmichael—"I do not think that the purchasing agent is to blame at all. He was governed by the requisition."

Mr. Morse finally objected to E. A. Wilson & Company's bid for 500 barrels of cement for sewers, and the D. T. Sullivan bid for 5500 barrels for streets was approved by the council in accordance with the approval of the commissioner of streets, Commissioner Carmichael voting against.

Mr. Morse said he accepted Mr. Sullivan's bid because he bid on Lehigh, Mr. Wilson having bid on Saylor.

Removal of Posts

The mayor read a report by the city engineer relative to the poles, stone posts and barber signs to be removed in the white way district. The report was accepted and the council voted to remove the poles and stone posts, the barber signs to be considered at some future date.

Lunch Cart License

A communication from the city engineer relative to the removal of a cellar in Livingston street was placed on file.

The petition of Abraham L. Riddick for a lunch cart license in Dutton street was granted.

Paving Block Contract

When it came to the supposed final consideration of the paving block contract on which Frank Mallorey was given a hearing on a protest filed by him some time ago, it looked for a few minutes as if Commissioner Morse and Mr. Mallorey were going to enter a personal encounter.

Mr Mallorey was sitting in the background and it was the last of his thoughts, he said, that he would be pulled into the meeting. He was counting the lights on the lofty chandelier when the breath of spring brought Charlie's words his way and Frank cocked his ear to be sure that he heard aright. Mr. Morse had said that Mr. Mallorey had come to him once upon a time for a job and that he wanted $3 a day for the work which he wanted to pick out for himself.

Charlie just finished with the $3 a day statement when Frank leaped from his seat and with threatening hand o'er Charlie's head denied the soft impeachment. It was a serious moment and when Charlie rose from his [illegible] to face the man who was calling to him to tell the truth it looked as if there would be something doing, but it ended in a war of words, Mr. Mallorey denying that he had ever asked Mr. Morse for a job at $3 a day, and Mr. Morse contending that the memory of it was as fresh as though it happened yesterday.

"Tell the truth," said Frank, as the mayor rapped for order.

"God Almighty, Frank, you tell the truth," shouted Charlie, and the row was all over.

"Let us get down to business," said the mayor, as he took up the contract in question. [illegible] he discovered that it did not have the proper endorsement and on his motion it was laid on the table till the next meeting.

Adjourned at 2:15

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE

Continued

instructed him to produce forthwith records showing the appointment and designation of the Albany Journal as the "state paper" for the years 1855 and 1914 inclusive and affidavits of publication of printing required by law to be done in the "state paper."

Mr. Ivins objected to the evidence on the ground that it was immaterial but Mr. Bowers called the attention of the court to the fact that Mr. Barnes wrote to Colonel Roosevelt that the establishment of a state printing house would be disastrous to him financially and that a witness had sworn that there was but one job press in the plant of the Journal company. The court ruled against Mr. Ivins.

Public Printing

Mr. Hancock then continued reading records showing that successful bidders for public printing in Albany had made a practice of assigning their contracts to the larger printing concerns there principally the J. B. Lyon Co. or men connected with it.

Other records were produced which purported to show that the Lyon company was awarded contracts for printing when it was not the lowest bidder. Figures compiled by the witness showed that each year for many years since 1899 the state paid for legislative and departmental work a total of more than seven millions of dollars on contracts, and a large sum which he said he could not compute upon orders for additional printing. Nearly all the work done under contract was, according to the testimony, done by the J. B. Lyon company.

Platt Recalled

After a brief cross-examination the witness was excused and Mr. Platt was recalled to the stand. He said that from 1890 to 1905 his father appeared to have received 134 letters from Mr. Barnes. He then produced the letters selected by the Roosevelt attorneys from the mass of correspondence he brought to court in answer to a subpoena. There were seven from Mr. Roosevelt.

AN ULTIMATUM

Elder Statesmen Approve of Sending Note to China

TOKIO, May 4.—The Yomiuri in an extra edition declares that the elder statesmen after listening to lengthy explanations from Premier Okuma and Foreign Minister Kato have approved a project to send an ultimatum to China.

The information reaching Japanese paper, it says, leads to the conviction that the nature of the last Chinese [illegible] obliges Japan to resort to this [illegible] diplomatic step.

Continuing, the Yomiuri says [illegible] concessions made by Japan [illegible] by the restoration of Kiaochow to China had created the belief that China was satisfied and that the matter would be arranged peacefully. There is an impression now that Yuan Shi-Kai, president of China, desires an ultimatum in order to justify China's [illegible] acceptance.

According to the Hochi [illegible] martial law will be proclaimed [illegible] simultaneously with the [illegible] of the ultimatum.

A UNIQUE PROPOSITION

MASTER CARPENTERS' ASSOCIATION SUBMITS AGREEMENT TO SETTLE STRIKE IN HAVERHILL

HAVERHILL, May 4.—[illegible] upon submitting [illegible] of the carpenters' union to the [illegible] in the local labor bodies with the understanding that if the contractors are called upon to pay [illegible] for their labor the public will [illegible] to square the account, the Master Carpenters association has come forward with an [illegible] proposition [illegible] to be brand new to the labor world.

BOY WENT TO WAR

Lowell Young Man Not Aware of His Mother's Death in This City

A Lowell boy, James Allietté, 19 years of age, son of Delphis Allietté of 81 Ford street, is now in France, fighting for the British colors, and is not aware of the fact that his mother is dead and was buried yesterday, and he will not hear the sad news for probably another week.

The young man enlisted in the 22d Canadian Royal regiment last October and sailed about three weeks ago. He is a drummer in the band. When volunteers were called for in Canada to form the 22d regiment, Allietté, who resided in this city, asked his father's consent to go to the Dominion and enlist in the army and it was only after considerable coaxing that the father gave his consent.

James left this city in October and went to Montreal, Que., where he enrolled as a drummer. From Montreal he was assigned to the camp at St. Jean, Que., and a couple of months ago the regiment removed to Amherst, N. S. The young man wrote a letter to his mother every week and three weeks ago when the last letter was written, he told his mother not to write to him for he was sailing for France and could not give his address. However, he promised his mother he would write her as soon as he reached France.

Mrs. Allietté became ill a few days ago and was removed to the hospital, where after undergoing two operations she passed away Friday of last week. Her funeral took place yesterday morning.

Mr. Delphis Allietté in conversation with a reporter of The Sun this morning said he is longing to receive news from his son. He said he fears he was in the regiment which was almost completely wiped out in a recent battle near the Ypres. He said the boy wrote every week and he fails to see why he is neglecting to do so now unless something has happened to him. The father sent a letter to his son, informing him of the death of his mother, and has addressed it to the 22d Royal regiment, Amherst, N. S., and he believes the Canadian authorities will see that the letter is delivered in Europe.

ATTEMPT TO KILL VILLA

COLONEL OLIVAS OF VILLA'S STAFF FIRED THREE SHOTS AT LEADER—TWO TOOK EFFECT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 4.—An attempt to kill General Villa was made by Colonel Olivas of his staff, according to news received today from Chihuahua dated May 1. It was said three shots were fired and Villa was wounded twice but not dangerously. Olivas was killed by his brother officers. It was said the trouble followed reduction of Olivas to the ranks for insubordination.

CASE OF TYPHUS FEVER

SECOND TO REACH NEW YORK WITHIN A WEEK FOUND ABOARD CUNARD LINER

NEW YORK, May 4.—The second case of typhus fever to reach this port within a week was found today aboard the Cunard liner Carpathia upon her arrival from Mediterranean ports. The victim, a steerage passenger, was removed to the Swinburne Island hospital for treatment.

The entire steerage, it was said, would have to be fumigated before the ship could be released.

The Carpathia sailed from Naples, Genoa and Piraeus. She stopped at Gibraltar on the way.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. George H. LeRiche of 15 Apple street yesterday observed the 32d anniversary of their wedding. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents, including a beautiful chest of silver. A musical program was rendered, including vocal selections by Mr. F. E. LeRiche, Mr. William Hamilton and Miss Mabel Meehan. Mrs. F. E. LeRiche and Miss Margaret LeRiche accompanied the singers. Refreshments were served.

RAIDER INTERNS

Kronprinz Wilhelm Was Towed to the Newport Navy Yard

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 4.—The German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm was towed to Newport navy yard today and interned to await the close of the war.

CARMAN TRIAL

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 4.—One hundred additional talesmen from whose numbers more jurors were to be chosen to try Mrs. Florence Carman for the murder of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey last June were in the supreme courtroom today when the trial was resumed. Five jurors had been selected in the first day's session. It was expected, however, that the jurybox would be filled today.

Mrs. Carman spent the night locked up in the jail. Her active part in the selection of the jury is one of the chief features of her second trial. In the first trial she had little to say about the choice of jurors, but this time she seems to be in charge of this part of her case and her three attorneys defer to her judgment.

Before court opened District Attorney Smith said the chief new evidence he had related to the hour of the shooting. It was the contention of the defense in the first trial that Mrs. Bailey was shot about eight o'clock in the evening and that the unseen assailant escaped in the dark. Mr. Smith said that he would produce witnesses to prove that the shooting occurred about 7 o'clock, when it was still light. The Freeport police were notified about nine o'clock.

Ten jurors were in the box when court adjourned for the luncheon recess.

TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

PRES. WILSON REFRAINED FROM COMMENT ON WRECKING OF THE STEAMER GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 4.—President Wilson refrained from comment today on the wrecking of the American steamer Gulflight by a German torpedo, pending receipt of advices on all the facts and circumstances. The president said he expected a full report from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, as well as from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin.

When asked concerning the case of Leon C. Thresher, an American drowned when the British steamer Falaba was sunk by a German submarine, President Wilson revealed that no representations have as yet been made to Germany, but that probably it would be treated with the other cases that had arisen, for in his opinion they all seemed a part of the war zone circumstances.

Early today the president and Secretary Bryan conferred at length, but it was said they did not discuss any line of policy in the war zone cases, deferring that until a complete investigation of the Gulflight incident had been made.

The cabinet discussed the sinking of the Gulflight at length and afterward members reiterated that the position of the United States would not be finally determined upon until further details were received.

AMERICAN EMBASSY INVESTIGATES

LONDON, May 4.—The American embassy began today an investigation of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight. An examination of the ship as well as of the crew will be made. It is probable that the inquiry will be carried on principally at Plymouth, where the crew landed.

The investigation will be conducted as expeditiously as possible so that no time may be lost in transmitting the report to Washington.

The London afternoon papers comment only in the briefest manner on the Gulflight incident. The Westminster Gazette asks whether President Wilson will make good his words of February and hold the German government to strict accountability.

Clean Up Week

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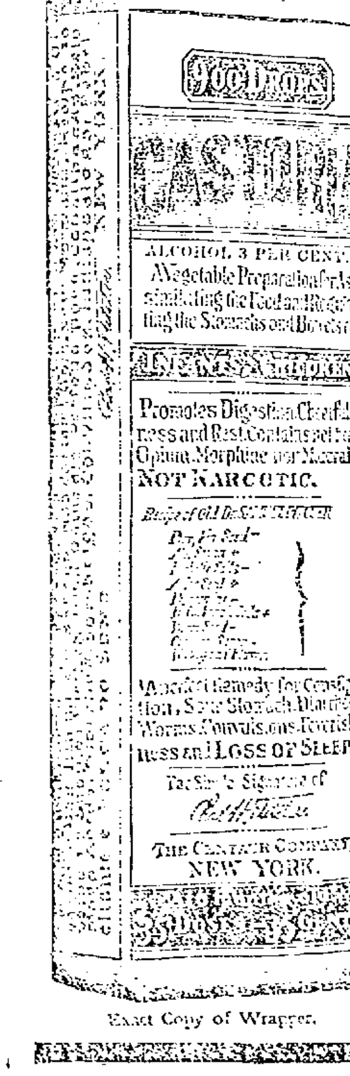

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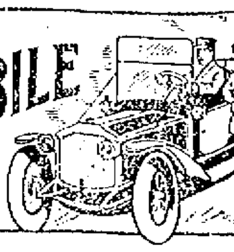

LOCAL MOTORCYCLE CLUB

ENTERTAINED MEMBERS OF BAY STATE ASSOCIATION — LATER ALL WENT TO NASHUA

The members of the Bay State Motorcycle club were Sunday the guests of the Lowell Motorcycle club and later the two organizations wended their way over the Pawtucket boulevard to Nashua, N. H., where they were entertained by Mr. Prew, the Nashua agent of the Harley-Davidson motorcycles. The members of the Bay State organization left Boston in the early forenoon and speeded over the road to this city, making their headquarters at the store of Joseph Parmentier in Moody street, the local agent for the Harley-Davidson machine.

While in this city the boys were escorted through several of the clubs and after enjoying a dainty luncheon the trip to the Gate city was undertaken. The party arrived in Nashua in the early afternoon and they spent a few hours as the guests of Mr. Prew, who threw open his bowling alleys for the visitors.

The members of the Bay State Motorcycle club who made the trip were as follows: J. H. Wing, captain; George Downs, first lieutenant; M. S. Pierce, sergeant; William Burney, George Downes, Donald Pope, winner of many races at Readville; Silas Smith, Joseph Hoffman, William Norwood, Dan. Sullivan, C. W. Cartwright, Arthur White, C. N. Stanley, N. C. Stanley, W. G. Carpenter, F. B. Carpenter, E. Simmons, Max Myerow, M. C. Trowbridge, C. W. Swanson, George Swanson, J. C. Silver, G. W. Cross, A. R. Candiff, N. Defidines, Fred Crosey, S. J. Rogers, R. M. Linnell, E. S. Weaver, H. F. Whiffletry, W. E. Willett, C. E. Willett, Geo. Campbell, Miss Draper, Miss Pauley, C. Williams, Jesse Campbell, H. C. Johnson, Miss McArdle, William Halliday, Miss Lillian Day, J. Armitage, Fred Sterrof.

The Lowell club was represented by the following: George Garmon, president; Eugene Ricard, secretary-treasurer; Joseph Parmentier, Thomas Lacourse, and Mrs. Lacourse, Henri Duval, Joseph Durant, James Farley, Fred Coutje, Lawrence Farley, Harold McDonald, Sam Alack, J. Singelais, Jos. Lapointe and Mrs. Lapointe, Ed. Bellerose, Fred David, Albert Boucher and Mrs. Boucher, G. M. Farat, Paul Davis, Fred Desjardins, Jr., Napoleon Lachance, John McClure and wife, Thomas Curran, Alphonse Lajoie, Fred Curran, Romeo Couture, M. Gervais and Miss Gervais, Joseph Parmentier, Joseph Roussel, Joseph Goyette and Pierre Bourgeois, owners of a camp at Willow Dale, will keep open house for all motorcycle riders next Sunday. All who would like to pay a visit to the camp are requested to call at Joseph Parmentier's store in Moody street at or before noon. A luncheon will be served at the camp and a good time is in store for all who will call.

Arthur Cummiskey Motor company has sold Joseph Flynn a Jeffrey four.

Vigeant's market, cor. Merrimack and Suffolk streets has purchased a Vim delivery truck from Philip Bibeault of the First street garage.

The Sawyer Carriage company, Worthen street is having big sales of Firestone truck tires. Like the pneumatic tires of the same make these tires are popular among truck users. The Firestone people were the pioneers with the demountable rim and have enjoyed unparalleled success with this manner of putting on tires which they were the first to recommend. The operation of putting on solid truck tires is identical with the way the pneumatic tires are put on.

At Jean's salesrooms there are some big bargains in used cars at all prices. Some are for sale at prices as low as fifty dollars. A feature about this establishment is that it will procure any make of a car at approximately the price one wishes to pay. One has but to tell of his wants. Last week an amusing incident occurred at the Jean's salesrooms. There was for sale a Ford touring car of very ancient vintage. It was one of the first 200 cars to leave the Ford factory and is over fifteen years old. Last Friday John Carroll and Paul Cement took it down Merrimack street and when they reached the square they were held up by the traffic officer and in compliance to the mandate of the official put on the brakes but though the spirit was willing the brake was too weak to hold the car and the little old Ford rambled right along until in desperation the occupants jumped from the ancient vehicle and one getting in front of it and the other behind, held the refractory machine stationary. The old Ford showed that there were still a few kicks left and had not yet succumbed to the infirmities of old age. The old Ford had a contemporary at the salesrooms that first saw the light of day at about the same time. Its companion was an ancient one-cylinder Cadillac, also a relic of old decency. This "one lunger" was also very active in spite of the wear and tear of years. Last week the "one lunger" took a party of four up Sixth street hill, clearly showing that although a "one lunger" it was by no means tubercular.

A new department has been opened at the Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen street. This week marks the beginning of a welding department at this busy establishment. Here experts will repair broken crank cases, frames, etc., in a most reliable manner. It will not be long before this new department will be busy with work as are the many other departments of this company.

Judging from reports one might think that Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart had enough time to sell cars of makes other than Fords. However this is not the case for the little time that is not spent in selling Fords Mr. Rochette needs for sleep. A great many motorists are having new tops and slip covers for their autos made at the Donovan Harness company, Market and Palmer streets. During the week just past this firm has received a number of orders of upholstering jobs.

Clarence A. Cunningham, 17 Hoyt avenue, is agent for the Priggen portable steel garage. The garage has been designed to meet the very rigid law requiring that every garage to be of fireproof construction. The Priggen garage is framed with 1½ in. x 1½ in. x ⅛ inch angle irons covered with galvanized sheet metal in imitation of stucco, cement, bricks, clapboards, cement block or corrugated iron. Mr. Cunningham would be pleased to give information to any interested party.

Today George W. Morrison, well known in automobile circles, gives some reasons why he can make it profitable to the auto owner to purchase tires from him. Mr. Morrison is also agent for a six cylinder, seven-passenger car which sells for $1550.

George R. Dana is offering a rare bargain in a slightly used limousine which is in fine condition, having been used by a private family. It's a bargain for someone.

Jos. Parmentier, agent for the Harley-Davidson motorcycle, has delivered a three-speed model to Napoleon Lachance at Cheever street.

Joe McGarry is proving to be a popular gas dispenser.

The number of members of the Lowell motorcycle club is ever growing. Are you a member?

During the past few weeks the Lowell Cycle Shop, Gorham street, has received many shipments of bicycles. Young and old in quest of two-wheelers patronize this shop.

The Anderson tire shop, Paige street, has broken all records of previous years for sales of tires. Charlie Anderson states that the sales of tires during the month of April this year, were 300 per cent. above the sales made in April, 1914. In the vulcanizing line this shop is very busy, but manages to maintain their standard, "Quick service."

A MILLION FORDS

With the completion of the 300,000-car schedule, Aug. 1, 1915, there will be one million Ford cars in operation. A million owners mean dealers in proportion. There are nearly 6000 Ford dealers, and in the hands of these dealers is kept a stock of parts aggregating about $12,000,000.

The ratio of Ford owners, as compared to owners of all motor cars is shown, for example, by California, Iowa and Florida, three extreme points in the Union. More than 50 per cent. of all the automobiles owned in these three states are Fords, and there are 113,000 cars in Iowa, too. There is a Ford dealer every 10 miles in Iowa. In Greater New York city and vicinity there are branches in Long Island City, Brooklyn, the Bronx and Newark.

SPARK ADVANCE

The position of the spark lever should vary with the speed of the motor. For persons who are operating their first car, it simplifies the driving if the spark lever can be left in one position. About the best rule that can be given is to imagine the quadrant divided in proportion to the car speed, assuming that the spark should be fully advanced for the maximum speeds.

In following out this idea, the spark lever should be advanced to a position one quarter of the way down the quadrant for speeds of ten to fifteen miles per hour; a position approximately in the center of the quadrant for speeds of twenty to thirty miles; a position of three-fourths the quadrant for thirty-five to forty miles; and full advance for all higher speeds. If it is desired to leave the spark lever in a fixed position, the position for average conditions of between one-fourth and one-half the way down the quadrant will give fair performance, but the power and general economy will be affected in the extremes of speed variation. The spark should be fully retarded when the car is to be throttled to its lowest speed on high gear.

Providing that the spark lever is neither retarded nor advanced, the opening of the circuit interrupter occurs at exactly the same point in the cycle with reference to the end of the compression stroke, regardless of the speed of the motor. Of course the time interval is shortened with increasing speed.

The end of the compression strike is considered as being the extreme upper limit of the travel of the piston on the compression stroke. This end of the compression stroke may or may not be the time of maximum pressure in the combustion chamber of the cylinder. To obtain the maximum power from the motor, the maximum pressure should come at the end of the compression stroke. This condition depends upon the timing of the spark relative to the motor speed.

Consider the motor running slowly under a considerable load. The spark is well retarded and the throttle open to a considerable degree. When the spark is fully retarded in the Haynes "Light Six" motor, the spark occurs when the fly wheel has passed dead center by one-half an inch measured on the circumference. Thus, under the condition assumed the spark comes, for all practical purposes, at the instant the compression stroke is completed. Just before the spark jumps across the points of the plug, the mixture of gas comprising air and vaporized gasoline has been compressed to a pressure between seventy-five and eighty pounds per square inch. The spark occurs and the pressure jumps to approximately 350 pounds. The gases expand and drive the piston down so that the pressure is rapidly lowered.

There is an appreciable time interval between the time the ignition interrupter operates and the time when the charge of gases in the cylinder are completely burned or exploded. Perhaps an explanation of what actually takes place within the cylinders would make this fact clear.

First of all an explosion of the gases is nothing more than the rapid burning of gases. The combining of the oxygen brought in with the air, with the tiny particles of gasoline produces a large volume of gas. The burning takes place by a flame cap passing through the volume of gas. This flame cap is a thin wall of flame that starts from the spark and passes through the entire gas with a spherical front. It is the dividing line between the burned and unburned gases. While the burning of this flame is very rapid it is not instantaneous. Its speed depends in part upon the percentage of gasoline vaper in the mixture. A combustible is had only between certain limits. It is possible to get a mixture of air containing too small or two great a percentage of gasoline to be combustible. A mixture considerably diluted with air, as is the case when the motor is running idle, does not permit the flame to pass through it as rapidly as when it is richer.

When the motor is running at a high rate of speed under load, the piston speed is much greater than in the first condition assumed, and considering the same time interval, the piston in this case has traveled down farther from the top than in the first case of the slowly running motor. Consequently, if the interrupter operates at the same point in reference to the end of the compression stroke when the motor is running rapidly, as it does when it is running slowly, the spark will come at the same time interval but will not come until an instant after the piston has passed the end of the compression stroke and started downward. The time consumed in the complete burning of the gases is added to this latency of the spark, it can be readily seen that the maximum pressure would not come exactly at the end of the compression stroke but at a fraction of a second later and a certain amount of power will be lost. The effect is that of the piston running away from the gases.

To remedy this condition, the spark lever must be advanced as the speed increases, so that the opening of the circuit interrupter is made at an appreciable time interval before the piston comes up to the end of the compression stroke, such that the time elapsing between the opening of the interrupter and the instant the piston completes the compression stroke will permit the gases to be completely burned at the instant the piston starts downward on the power stroke.

THE AMERICAN MADE AUTO

The thought of automobiles in the far east instinctively brings to mind the picture we used to see of a small, one-lunged affair of pain and sorrow, surrounded by a curious group of gaping natives.

But the tedious evolution of the other side of the world has been quickened considerably by the development of the motor car industry and the invasion of foreign fields by the wide-awake manufacturers of the United States. There are still the 'rickshaws and plodding bullock carts and the sturdy, stunted ponies, but the background must not be confused with the action of the picture.

The little brown brothers of the Philippines were, perhaps, the first of the Orientals to adopt in any sense, the modernized methods of transportation. This can be explained by the American occupation which carried with it a policy of American ideas and American modes of living. Just recently an automobile race meet at Baguio, Philippine Islands, preceded by an endurance run to that town from Manila, was one of the big features of a gala week in Luzon. Over the rough roads and craggy trails between the two cities an American made car led the field, completing the long trip in nine hours and 27 minutes with a perfect score.

A unique event was the slow race, in which the drivers vied with each other in an endeavor to show the big crowd how slow their cars could go without coming to a complete stop. This event over a quarter of a mile course, was also won by a car of American manufacture.

American [illegible] have been able to gain attention and interest in the Philippines [illegible] demonstrations and long [illegible] tours through the [illegible], showing the capabilities of the American cars. While a number of the [illegible] of Filipinos are car owners, the younger generation is still being [illegible] devoted to the automobile. Many of the natives are chauffeurs for Americans and foreigners who find them excellent mechanicians and careful drivers.

THE VALUE OF GOOD ROADS

The sentiment in favor of good roads would never have reached its present almost enormous proportions but for the persistent agitation of those who used automobiles for pleasure. But it must also be admitted that this element is now only one of the many and among the least weighty of the influences that demand more and more good roads.

Tradesmen in the towns and cities have found that good roads increase their zone of trade. Farmers find their markets easier to reach. Doctors get to their patients quicker. Rural free mail delivery never would have been accomplished under the highway conditions of former days.

GREAT INCREASE IN BUSINESS

Throughout the United States road officials are everywhere showing themselves keenly alive to the enormous increase in automobile touring manifested the year from all sections, as evidenced by the information they are forwarding to the good roads and touring boards of the American Automobile Association. This information covers the work in progress and the work to be commenced during this month.

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Supplied with complete camping outfit and provisions, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mills of Butte, Mont., have started on a cross country motorcycle trip. They expect to go first to Spokane and Portland and then follow the coast south to San Francisco. They will spend some time visiting in the west before starting on the return trip.

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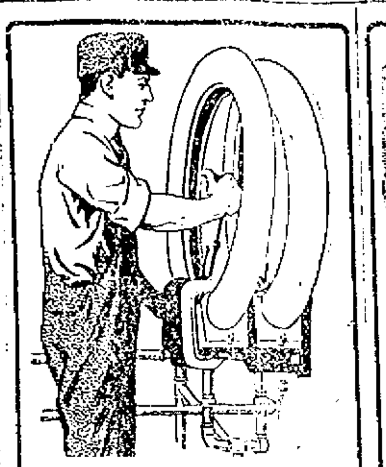

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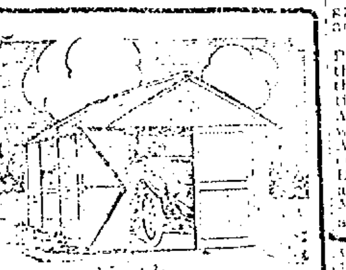

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LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Under leadership there was an engagement between two German patrol boats and several armed English steam trawlers. One trawler was destroyed. A division of British destroyers then entered the action and the German patrol boats were lost. The [illegible] officially declares that a number of the crew was saved.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK BY ALLIES TO NORTH OF YPRES YESTERDAY

PARIS, May 4.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"There was a German attack yesterday evening on the British front to the north of Ypres. The Germans were driven back by our allies.

"In the Argonne near Bagatelle we delivered an attack which resulted in the gaining of ground."

WAR BULLETINS TELL OF AUSTRO-GERMAN VICTORY OVER RUSSIANS

VIENNA, May 4.—War bulletins issued by the Austrian and German army headquarters and posted in Vienna yesterday and today bring news of the Austro-German victory over the Russians in western Galicia.

A large Austro-German army has been steadily concentrating before Cracow for the past three weeks with the purpose of making a new offensive movement. All available Austro-Hungarian troops have been quietly transferred during this time to the Dunajec front and for a fortnight past an unbroken stream of troop trains has been pouring eastward from Frankfort, Berlin and other German railroad centers. Thus was warning given that big events were impending in the east. Newspaper correspondents were permitted to telegraph that a new offensive on the Russian front was in preparation and even to intimate that the blow would fall neither in the Masurian lake regions nor in the Carpathians. Closer indications, of course, were out of the question.

Final plans for this movement were approved at a conference held in Berlin April 23 between General Von Falkenhayn, chief of the German staff, and Field Marshal Conrad Von Hoetzendorf, chief of the Austrian staff. General Mackensen, commander of the German ninth army, who came from the front in Poland also was present at the Berlin conference. He left for the front to take command of the new army that same night after receiving his final instructions. So far as is known Field Marshal Von Hindenburg did not attend the Berlin council of war although he visited German headquarters with General Mackensen shortly previous to this.

It is too early as yet to discuss the full military effect of this victory in Galicia but it is the opinion of Austrian observers that the German and Austrian strategists "got the jump" on the offensive which the Russians were believed to be planning and of which their campaign in the Carpathians was thought to have been preliminary.

The number of prisoners taken by the Teutonic allies mentioned in the first report is noticeably small but the experts here expect that the total number of men captured and the amount of war booty will grow rapidly.

Brilliant Successes

A significant feature of the reports of this victory is the reference to the piercing of the front of the Russian army. The Russian commanders up to the present have usually been able to avert a breach in their line by falling back before the line broke.

The political value of this victory of the first magnitude is regarded here as quite as great as the military value. It comes in the midst of the Austro-Italian negotiations and on the eve of the meeting of the Italian parliament and it coincides with the [illegible] ment of new Austro-Hungarian loans the success of which would be [illegible] ably affected by a victory at this [illegible].

A correspondent of the Neue Freie Press of Vienna at the [illegible] war has sent in the following dispatch concerning the battle of [illegible] ity in West Galicia:

"The Austro-Hungarian [illegible] have succeeded with [illegible]. The Russians occupy [illegible] positions on the [illegible] which had been strengthened [illegible] tions.

"They felt themselves absolutely secure. After a [illegible] exceeding in [illegible] which [illegible] eastern front the Austro [illegible] warriors advanced Sunday [illegible] wing. They stormed [illegible] the Russian positions [illegible] front of more than [illegible] miles [illegible] stretching from the [illegible] river through Gorlice [illegible] mountains. Their assault [illegible] that the Russian line [illegible] immediately. Many thousands of prisoners were taken as well as [illegible] equipment, supplies [illegible] guns.

"At the same time on the northern [illegible] successful attack was carried [illegible]. At this point Austrian and Hungarian [illegible] crossed the Dunajec [illegible] opposition [illegible] the Russian [illegible] and [illegible] over [illegible].

"[illegible] successes [illegible] are reported [illegible] Carpathians."

GEN. BOTHA'S UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA TROOPS CAPTURE OTYMBINGUE

CAPE TOWN, via London, May 4.—[illegible] official statement issued [illegible] says that General [illegible] South Africa troops [illegible] occupied Otymbingue [illegible] miles west of [illegible] German Southwest Africa. [illegible] were only [illegible] these men lost their [illegible] explosion of a mine during the advance on the Swakop river.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Berlin and Vienna announce great victory in Galicia. Russian army said to be crushed from Hungarian border to Vistula river.

Germans pursue Russians in direction of Riga on the Baltic.

Severe battle is in progress in northern Poland with the Germans attacking.

Austrians [illegible] in the Beskids, Eastern Carpathians.

[illegible] St. Julien [illegible].

German assault on forest of Le Pretre repulsed by the French.

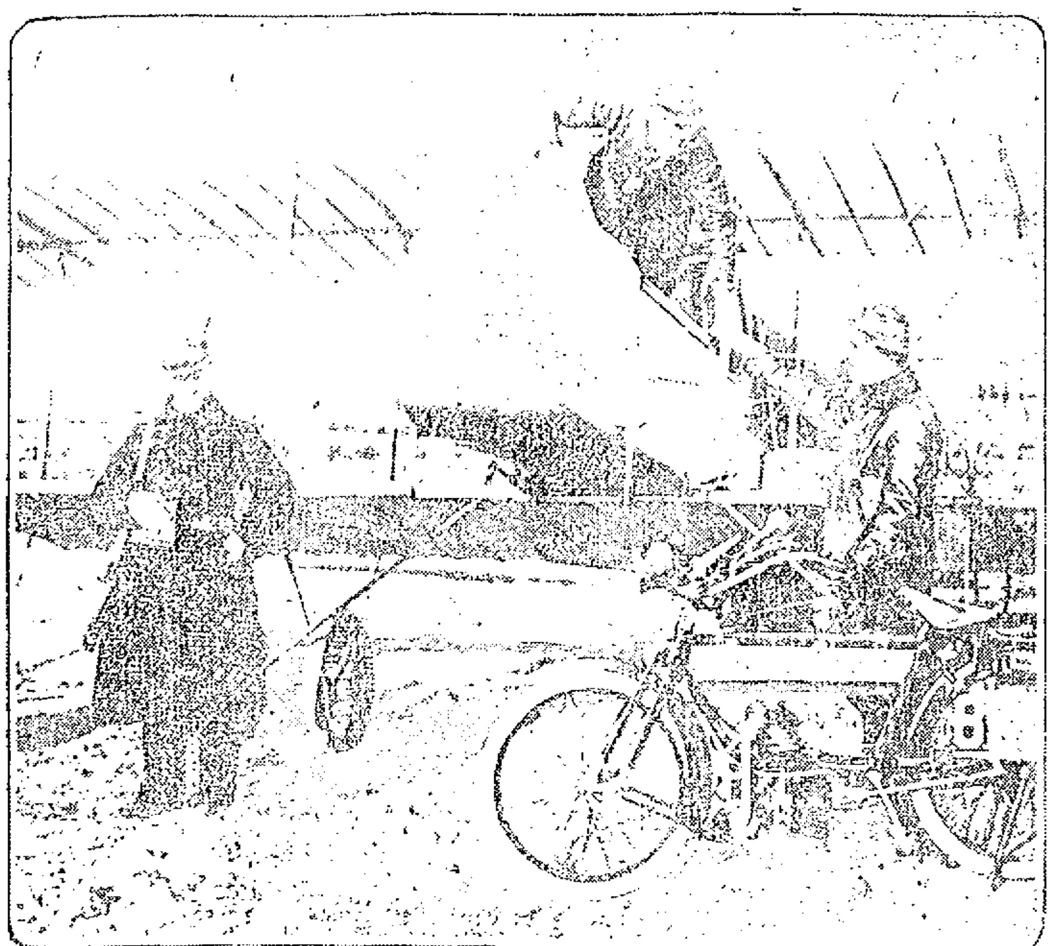
Three Norwegian steamers sunk by German submarines.

Allies reported to have captured Maidos on the Dardanelles.

Washington waits fuller details before taking any action on the Gulflight.

Canada [illegible] ban on export of grain to United States, restrictions on shipments to United Kingdom.

RARE SPEED COMBINATION FORMED BY AIR CRAFT AND MOTORCYCLE AT WAR FRONT



FRENCH AVIATOR GIVING RESULT OF FLIGHT TO MOTORCYCLE DESPATCH RIDER

The war in Europe is remarkable for the adaptation by the different forces engaged of the latest inventions and appliances of all kinds. In the accompanying photograph, taken in the north of France, is shown a French army aviator handing the results of his observations in the air to a motorcycle dispatch rider, who is ready to take it to military headquarters some miles away. The riders of these motorcycles are almost as intrepid as the men of the air. One hundred miles an hour is common for them.

DEATHS

HOLLAND—Mrs. Frances V. Holland, widow of William H. Holland, died yesterday at St. John's hospital. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey. Deceased lived at 7 Favor street.

BARCLAY—Mrs. Jessie M. Barclay died yesterday at her home, 17 Corson street, aged 68 years. She leaves her husband, Oscar R. Barclay; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur B. Graves of Nashua, N. H., and Alice R., of this city; one son, Harry J. Barclay of West Somerville and two grandchildren. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church.

THORNING—Claretta M. Thorning, daughter of Fernando A. and Edith M. Thorning, died April 30 in Brighton, aged 7 years and 8 months. She leaves, besides her parents, five brothers and one sister.

VAUGHAN—Miss Catherine J. Vaughan died last night at the Lowell General hospital, aged 19 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, her mother, Mrs. Delia Vaughan, one sister, Marietta and a brother Joseph. Deceased was a prominent member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St. Patrick's church. The remains were removed to her late home, 83 Willie street by Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLANCY—Peter F. Clancy, aged 31 years, died this morning at 8 Mill street. He leaves his wife, Helen, one son, Harold, his mother, Bridget, one brother, Benjamin, of Buffalo, N. Y. He was a member of the Bartenders' union.

COONEY—Thomas F. Cooney, a well known resident died at his late home, 232 High street this morning, age 62 years. For thirty years he was foreman of the H. L. Barker steam fitting works and has been treasurer of the local Steamfitters' union for many years. He is survived by his wife, Maria G.; three sons, John M., Thomas F. and Fred W.; two daughters, Miss Elizabeth, Mrs. Gertrude [illegible]; two brothers, James P., of Lowell, Peter E., of Dorchester; two sisters, the Misses Elizabeth and Anna Cooney of this city.

McWILLIAMS—James McWilliams, an old resident, passed away this morning at his late home, 7 Keene street. The deceased was a resident of Lowell for many years. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Katherine, and one son, George H., one sister, Miss Mary McWilliams, and one brother, Michael. He was a member of St. Peter's Holy Name society.

CORDAIRO—Manuel Cordairo, aged 1 year and 7 months, died this morning at the home of his parents, Manuel and Maria Cordairo, 47 Elm street.

NAULT—Mrs. Aubert Nault, nee Sarah Deloont, aged 77 years, died today at her home, 29 Worthen street. She leaves her husband, two sons, Napoleon M. Lozeau and Joseph Lozeau; three daughters, Miss Arline Lozeau and Mrs. Joseph Fulton of this city and Mrs. Edouard Lambert in Canada.

HOWARD—Died at Clifton Heights, Pa., Miss Clara Belle Howard, aged 17 years and formerly of this city.

McCARTHY—The funeral of Patrick J. McCarthy took place this morning from his late home, 766 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, Mass., at 8:15 o'clock. A funeral mass was sung at the Sacred Heart church, Roslindale at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Cummings was the officiating clergyman. The body was forwarded to this city where burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Kerrigan, of St. Patrick's church, read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERAL NOTICES

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Brien will take place from her home, 504 Gorham street at 8 a. m. Wednesday. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of James H. McDermott.

BARCLAY—The funeral services for Mrs. Jessie M. Barclay will be held at her home, 13 Corson street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

HOWARD—The funeral of Clara Belle Howard will take place Wednesday afternoon. Services at the Primitive Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Undertakers Young & Blake in charge.

JOYCE—The funeral of Miss Helen T. Joyce will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her mother, 42 Eleventh street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SLATTERY—The funeral of Mrs. Alice V. (Mullin) Slattery will take place Thursday morning at 8.15 o'clock from her late home, 57 Stanley street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 9.15 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

COONEY—The funeral of Thomas F. Cooney will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 232 High street. A funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Smith will take place Tuesday, May 4, at 2 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial will be in the Edson cemetery.

CORDAIRO—The funeral of Manuel Cordairo will take place on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock from his late home, 47 Elm street. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 11 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

McWILLIAMS—The funeral of the late James McWilliams will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 7 Keene street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Miss Catherine J. Vaughan will take place from her home, 83 Willie street, Thursday morning. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church. The time will be announced later. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

CLANCY—The funeral of Peter M. Clancy will take place Thursday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 8 Mill street. Services at 2.30 at St. Peter's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERALS

KEDWARD—The funeral of Eliza Kedward was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 409 Westford street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. The body was sent to Frankford, Pa., where burial took place. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

ROBEY—The funeral of Elbert H. Robey was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orwell [illegible], 461 Walker street yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Harrison Davis, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

CARLEY—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth Carley were held in the Congregational church, Tewksbury, on Sunday. The church was well filled with relatives and friends, [illegible] Albert and Howard. [illegible] Centre cemetery. [illegible]

SLATTERY—The funeral of [illegible] At St. Peter's [illegible] Rev. Francis J. [illegible] St. Patrick's cemetery [illegible] Undertaker J. F. O'Connell in charge.

MEEK—The funeral of the late Thomas [illegible] took place this morning [illegible] from his home in Tewksbury Centre and was largely attended.

The cortege proceeded to the Oblate novitiate where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Robert J. McCoy, O. M. I. The following delegation of the Holy Name society, of which deceased was an esteemed member, attended the funeral: Frank Willis, William Kelley, Daniel Scott, Peter Lacy, J. E. Streckwald, John Young and Mr. Cloney. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a pillow inscribed "Father," from the family, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Williams and family, D. J. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kelley, Mrs. Kelley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. McKillopp, Mr. Henry Morris, Mr. and Mrs. F. Nicholson, Miss Mary Young, Mrs. Fairgrieves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Small, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbon, Miss Hannah Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. S. McHugh, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt, Mrs. Patrick Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Brennan, Mrs. Matthews, Miss Anna Clark, Mr. James Farley, Mrs. James Manley and family, and Mrs. Robert Nutter, and a mound from the Tuckey family, and offering from the Holy Name society. The bearers were David J. Williams, Anthony Kelley, Finley Nicholson, John McKillop, Denis O'Connell and Patrick Nash. At the grave Rev. Bernard McKenna, O. M. I., read the committal prayers, and the burial was in the Tewksbury Centre cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ROACH—The funeral of the late Miss Alice M. Roach took place this morning at 8.45 o'clock from her home, 211 [illegible] street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9.15 o'clock a [illegible] mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a pillow from the family, heart on [illegible] [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallagher, J. Henry Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Gregoire, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hehiman of Lynn, Mrs. Sarah Hurley and family, F. V. Orcutt, Mr. Claus and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Meyer, employes of John C. Meyer & Co., James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. and Mrs. Frank Brady, Miss Josephine McCarthy, Miss Mollie Burns of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wholey of Revere, Mrs. Annie Duffy, Mrs. James J. McMannon, Miss Lottie Quirk, Mrs. L. J. Smith and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Macowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Connor, Mrs. Coughlin and Bessie, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Connor, Mary and Catherine Hallisey, Mrs. M. Guthrie Lunn, Mrs. Elizabeth Ling and family, baskets, Mrs. Alice E. Brady, Dr. Alfred Roach and Miss Monahan, William Crowley and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. David, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Connor, the Misses Mary Welch, Alice Quirk and Nettie Hartnett, Miss Nellie O'Hearn, Mrs. Elizabeth Kerwin and daughter. The ushers at the house and church were John J. Flaherty and Joseph Hurley. At the grave which was trimmed with a beautiful floral lining, the offering of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barry, Rev. Francis Mullin read the committal prayers. The bearers were John A. Connor, Dr. Alfred Roach, Dr. Frank R. Brady, James J. Kerwin, Esq., Dr. Edward Murphy and Joseph Rourke. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FEMININE GARMENTS WELL PROVIDED WITH POCKETS

Verily is the present a season of pockets, for pockets are to be found with tailored suits, on simple gowns and also upon afternoon and evening toilettes, indeed they are used everywhere that they can be placed and are made of all materials from silk to lace. Here is a gown that shows pockets of an exceedingly interesting sort for they are practical as well as smart and the gown itself is made on such simple lines that it is especially adapted to summer needs. In the picture, the material is colored linen with white, but cotton crepe of the heavier sort makes up beautifully this way, pongee is much in vogue for gowns of this kind and there are various washable materials that may be substituted for the linen if preferred, while if liked, the skirt can be made of a heavier material and the blouse of a thinner, as for example, the skirt of linen and the blouse of lawn or batiste and the collar and cuffs could be of the heavier material to carry out the effect of the two materials. The skirt is in two pieces with a seam at the back and with lapped edges at the front and the edges of the blouse meet over an underfacing to allow of closing with links. Here, the neck is finished with a rolled-over collar, but if preferred, a high straight one suggestive of the military can be substituted. Among the very new materials is cotton crepe in brocaded effect.

MATRIMONIAL

Edouard Moreau and Miss Marie Louise Carle were married this morning, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 7 o'clock by Rev. Armand [illegible], O. M. I. The bride was attended by her brother, Fred Carle, and the bridegroom by his cousin, Frederick Moreau of Nashua, N. H. During the mass the Notre Dame de Lourdes society choir, of which the bride is a member, rendered appropriate hymns. The bride wore white mercelline silk with a lace overdress and she carried pinks. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, 1 Lavallee place, where a dinner was served, followed by a brief reception. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous gifts, left this afternoon on a short wedding tour. Upon their return they will make their home at 57 Ford street.

TO FLUSH SMOOTH PAVING

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS IT DONE IN THE EARLY MORNING BY THE FIRE DEPT.

The board of trade has sent the following letter to Commissioner Carmichael, asking that he flush the smooth paved streets in the early morning:

Lowell, Mass., May 4, 1915.

Mr. James H. Carmichael, Commissioner Fire and Water Departments, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: The Lowell board of trade desires to recommend that you instruct the fire department to flush the smooth paved streets throughout the city during the early morning hours. This would eliminate the inconvenience caused by the blowing of dust, and would give our streets a clean and healthful appearance.

This is a matter which is successfully carried out in other cities and the committee of the board is willing to cooperate with you in working out the details of the proposed plan.

Trusting you will give this matter your serious consideration, I am,

Respectfully yours,

John H. Murphy, Secretary.

IS NOT A CANDIDATE

JUSTICE HUGHES DISAPPROVES USE OF HIS NAME IN CONNECTION WITH PRESIDENCY

WASHINGTON, May 4.—In view to recent references to the name of Associate Justice Hughes of the supreme court as a candidate for the presidency, the following authoritative statement was made today in his behalf and with his approval:

"Justice Hughes wholly disapproves the use of his name in connection with the presidential campaign. Not only has he no desire to re-enter politics, but as a member of the supreme court he is not available. He is not a candidate in any sense and cannot permit his name to be used."

BILLERICA

The Billerica selectmen held a business meeting last evening. The three members were present and spent the evening in approving bills and taking care of other minor matters. Another meeting of the board will be held on Wednesday evening when some interesting business will probably be transacted.

The regular meeting of Asa John Patten circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., will be held Wednesday afternoon. Following the business session, luncheon will be served and from 7 to 8 o'clock a reception will be tendered to state officers of the organization. Sons of Veterans and representatives from other patriotic organizations will be present.

ON NEWS PRINT PAPER

INCREASED RATES APPROVED IN PART BY THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Increased rates on news print paper and on other papers from points in New England to New York city and adjacent points over the Boston & Maine, the New Haven and the Boston & Albany railroads were approved in part today by the inter-state commerce commission.

In its decision the commission declared that the proposed rates are the result of a compromise between the railroads and paper manufacturers, principally located in the vicinity of Holyoke, Mass. The increase from that section is from 16 per cent per hundred pounds to the third class rate at 20 cents per hundred pounds and that arrangement, the commission points out, is satisfactory to the manufacturers principally concerned.

DIED AT HIS DESK

NEW YORK, May 4.—Stephen T. Smith, general manager of the Underwood Typewriter Co., died today of heart failure as he was opening letters at his desk, associates asserted. He was 62 years old and had a national reputation as an expert on typewriter construction. Mr. Smith was a resident of Stamford, Conn.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

The monthly meeting of the pupils of St. Joseph's college in Merrimack street took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the affair was largely attended by parents and friends of the children, including the pastor of the parish, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., and Rev. Joseph Denis, O. M. I.

The program included the following numbers: "Baseball," chorus by the pupils of the sixth grade, reading of compositions of grades 7, 8 and 9; "Les Oiseaux Chanteurs," recitation, Emilien Leblanc, reading of compositions of grades 5 and 6; "C'est Fest Comme Chez Nous," comical song by Louis Renault, reading of compositions of grades 3 and 4; "Le Jeu de Roches," pupils of the seventh grade; reading of compositions of grades 1 and 2; reading of the roll of honor; remarks by the pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the many kind acts shown us during our recent bereavement at the death of our dear wife and mother, also for the many beautiful floral offerings tendered. (Signed)

Mary and Catherine Rearden, Patrick Rearden.

PAINFUL INJURY

Edouard Mollie, employed by Desmarais & Bourget, plumbers, suffered a painful accident yesterday afternoon. The young man was riding on the rear end of the wagon of his employers, when upon turning the corner of Ford and Aiken streets he lost his balance and fell to the ground, receiving [illegible] lacerations to his left arm. He was treated by the family physician.

CHERRY & WEBB

Startle the Garment World By Making the Largest Purchase of Coats Yet Recorded. One Price

12.75

2200 Coats

Divided among our six stores. We received 560 Coats. This is how it happened—

Printz, Buderman & Co., makers of the celebrated Printzess Garments, decided to make up all cloths on hand in their best styles at a big sacrifice. Our buyers hurried to New York, closed the bargain, and the coats are here for the

WONDER SALE ON WEDNESDAY AT 9.30 A. M.

The Printzess garments are unequalled in style and tailoring, a reputation that extends both east and west.

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SPORT and AUTO COATS

One Price

12.75

BE ON HAND. THESE FINE COATS WILL NEVER BE SOLD SO CHEAP AGAIN

Best style and best quality at this moderate price.

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12-18 JOHN STREET — N. Y. CLOAK & SUIT CO.

POLISHES

Which Are a Shining Success

W[illegible], lb.	.03
[illegible] Polish, can	.10
[illegible]-Silicon, box	.10
[illegible]'s Polish, ½ pint	.12
[illegible] Polish, lb.	.30
[illegible] Putz, jar	.25
[illegible] Friend, lb.	.15
[illegible] Cream, ½ pint	.15
[illegible]keepers Friend, pkg.	.25
[illegible], furniture, bot.	.25
Liquid Veneer, bot.	.25
Putz Pomade, lb.	.25

Have the lady of the house walk in and see these extra large DUSTLESS DUSTERS They're 45c

Free City Motor Delivery

C. B. COBURN CO., 63 MARKET STREET

Clean Up Week
GOOD GARDEN WHEELBARROW. $3.50

ERVIN E. SMITH COMPANY
43-45-47-49 Market Street

COE BLAMES HIS WIFE

Unhappy at Home, Discouraged in Work, He Longed to be Free, He Says—Wife Denies Charge

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 4.—Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., who disappeared from his home in Allston, Mass., Jan. [illegible], has been positively identified [illegible] mits his identity. [illegible] feet, and since his arrival [illegible] Feb. 22, after walking from [illegible] Cordova, he has worked [illegible] the good graces of the [illegible]

Coe, who was identified [illegible] Jones, a well-known and reliable Alaskan pioneer, [illegible] circulars sent out by the [illegible] detective bureau of Boston, [illegible] known his features [illegible] young wife.

He claims that he was tired of life in Boston.

He charges that his wife lived beyond her means.

Failure to succeed in business as rapidly as he had hoped, [illegible] reason given.

His married life was an [illegible] one, he asserts, and he longed for freedom from so [illegible].

Determined to strike out [illegible] and win on his own [illegible] he drew $400 from a [illegible] leaving his wife $[illegible] Seattle, from which city he [illegible] for Cordova, from which [illegible] walked to Fairbanks.

Coe is determined that he will never return and he wants his [illegible] a secret. In Alaska [illegible] relatives' social standing is unknown here.

Coe, long before his marriage, worked with a man named [illegible] in Montana, and when he left Allston he went direct to Seattle, arriving there Feb. 4. Since March he [illegible] employed as a machinist at the [illegible] Hardware Company at a salary of $125 a month.

He claims that he longed for a life in the open. When he left home he kissed his young wife [illegible], he declares.

[illegible] afternoon of [illegible] of New York [illegible] that she [illegible] received [illegible]

She [illegible] that they had lived [illegible] during their [illegible] and [illegible] if she would [illegible]

[illegible]

Never Got Message

According to Mrs. Coe, Jr., her husband [illegible] of his [illegible] she [illegible]

[illegible] of Boston, she said that he [illegible]

"I do not believe that H ever sent a telegram, as he is reported to have stated. Certainly if he did I never received the wire, as a matter of fact, the first news that I had of his being located in Alaska came from Supt. [illegible], who on April 25 telephoned me that he had received a clue from Fairbanks, which held out great promise, but the location was not definitely given.

"I can say for me that if my husband had ever sent a telegram to me I undoubtedly would have received it, even though the message had been addressed to our once happy home at 1270 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. I think the case has been famous enough to have enabled the telegraph company to have found out my whereabouts. I was [illegible] with my father and mother on April 17.

"Anyway, it seems to me that the statement credited to him is completely contradictory. No one in his right senses would declare that he wanted his identity kept a secret, and then immediately wire his wife, would he? It does not sound like him, for if there was ever a boy who worshipped his mother, it was Harry Coe.

Believes Mind Affected

"For I don't think he would ever have wired me. I really don't believe he would have gone to the expense of sending a telegraph message that would cost in the neighborhood of 42 cents a word. By that I don't mean to imply anything derogatory [illegible] Harry. [illegible] was not stingy, but he was [illegible] It is my impression that he [illegible] correspond with me. He would have done so by mail.

"And still I can't believe that Mr. Coe ever said any of the things that are attributed to him. As [illegible] now as ever, I still believe that his going away was not [illegible] until he tells me himself. I still love him and hope to join him when he has recovered his mental equilibrium [illegible] that his mind has been affected.

Would Go to Alaska

"Would you have answered his telegram if you had received it?"

"Certainly. Such suggestions of trouble between us are positively outrageous. Of course, I would have answered his telegram. Her dark eyes flashing angrily.

"But would you go to Alaska to join him if such was his desire?"

"Yes, tomorrow, if necessary, and I would bring our little baby, June, too, for I still continue to love him and do not, cannot believe, that he was in the full possession of his senses when he went away, nor do I believe the statements that are attributed to him, or that he can be his normal self now."

DENIAL BY MRS. COE

Declares She Has Received No Message from Husband—Combats Charge of Extravagance

BOSTON, May 4.—Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., the deserted wife of the [illegible]

No Use to Try and Wear Out Your Cold It Will Wear You Out Instead

Thousands keep on suffering Coughs and Colds through neglect and delay. Why make yourself an easy prey to serious ailments and epidemics as the result of a neglected Cold? Coughs and Colds sap your strength and vitality unless checked in the early stages. Dr. King's New Discovery is what you need—the first dose helps. Your head clears up, you breathe freely and you feel so much better. Buy a bottle today and start taking at once.

LAWSON GUILTY

Labor Leader Convicted of Murder and Given Life Sentence

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 4.—The jury yesterday returned a verdict pronouncing John R. Lawson guilty of murder in the first degree, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment, for the killing of John Nimmo, a deputy sheriff, in a battle with strikers at Ludlow, Oct. 25, 1913.

Lawson is a member of the International executive board of the United Mine Workers of America.

Commenting on the verdict, Lawson said:

"They may get me, but they can't defeat the cause of labor. I'm not worrying about myself—it's the fight I have been making for the workingmen that I am interested in—and that will go ahead. Even for me, it's a long way to the penitentiary. My attorneys will not give up until everything possible has been done to save me."

Thirty days were given attorneys for the defense to file a motion for a new trial, and Lawson was released temporarily in custody of his counsel.

Horace N. Hawkins, chief counsel for the defense, said:

"I do not believe the verdict ever will be sustained. It is contrary to the evidence. I shall fight this case as long as there are courts in which to fight."

SUBPENA FOR MORGAN

ISSUED BY SUPREME COURT IN THE WASHINGTON WILL CASE—SUMMER RECESS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—J. P. Morgan has been subpenaed by the supreme court to answer the suit of Virginia's suit to recover the will of Martha Washington.

The Florida statute making stockholders liable to the extent of unpaid stock subscriptions for unpaid judgments against their corporations without further suit or order, was [illegible] yesterday by the court as denial of "due process."

No arguments will be heard in the court after May 11 until the court reconvenes after its summer recess, Oct. 11.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH

The H. W. H. club met last evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Senior, [illegible] Rogers street, with [illegible] members present. After a brief business meeting a social time was enjoyed. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. [illegible] Wood and Mrs. Charles Clough, [illegible] street, for the June meeting.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

THE FLOWERS' BALL

Once upon a time little May went out in the garden to see the bed of tulips her father had told her were in bloom and, as she walked along looking at them, she thought she heard some one call, "May, May." She stooped down and looked into the heart of a red tulip and there was the tiniest little person she had ever seen all dressed in green.

"Please help me out," the little voice said, "I am stuck fast in some honey the bees left here." "I'll help you, you dear little thing," said May. "I will put my finger down and you take hold of it just as tight as you can and in that way I can pull you out."

Soon the tiny little green elf was out safe and sound on the ground and bowing to May with his pointed green cap in his hand. "Thank you very much. I don't know what I should have done if you hadn't come along, for the sides of the tulip were so smooth I couldn't climb out," he said. "I will ask the queen to send you an invitation to the ball we are going to give very soon if you would like to come for the queen will be very grateful to you for your help when I tell her about it."

"Oh, I would like to come so much," said May. "Please tell her I will for I love fairies and elves."

That night, after May [illegible] to bed, she saw a lovely little fairy fly in the window and in her hand was a big white lily which she laid on the bed just beside May's [illegible]. "What is your invitation to the ball and you must bring it with you." [illegible] "come with me and I will show you the way."

When they reached the garden there were the most beautiful flowers May had ever seen. A tall white lily was dancing with a hollyhock and a pansy was dancing with a big tiger lily, while all of the others were finding partners and dancing as happy as could be. They didn't pay any attention to May and the fairy [illegible] to the queen of the flowers who thanked her very prettily for [illegible] that morning.

May sat and looked at the flowers as they danced and thought she had never seen anything more beautiful. At last it was time to go and the fairy took her home and [illegible] was tucked up in her little white bed before she [illegible]. In the morning May told her mother all about her going to the flowers' ball but her mother just kissed her and smiled.

LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section [illegible] of the Acts of [illegible] wealth of Massachusetts [illegible] amended by Section [illegible] the Acts of 1909 and [illegible] Acts of 1912 [illegible] that Book No. [illegible] Savings Bank [illegible] has been stolen [illegible] made for payment [illegible]

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. [illegible] April [illegible]

[illegible]

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the [illegible] and all other persons interested in the estate of [illegible] Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

You are hereby [illegible] administrator of the estate of [illegible] late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and return to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true inventory of all the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge;

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you;

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court;

To pay any balance remaining in your hands upon the settlement of your accounts, to such persons as said Court shall direct;

To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly approved and allowed:

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, and return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, at Cambridge, this twenty-third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register. M4-11-18

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel P. Sperry, of Malden, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Bert Sperry, now of Binghamton, in the State of New York, at Oneonta, in said State of New York, on the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1911, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Bert Sperry lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at North Adams, in our County of Berkshire; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Bert Sperry, being wholly regardless of the same, at said North Adams and elsewhere has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment of your libellant. And being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Bert Sperry.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1915.

ETHEL P. SPERRY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 25, A. D. 1915.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel [illegible] to be published [illegible] The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be [illegible]

[illegible]

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

GENTS' SUITS

Steam Cleansed and Pressed, $1.00; Suit Pressed, 40c; [illegible] Pressed, [illegible] Ladies' Suits [illegible] All kinds of dyeing [illegible]

J. P. LEW, 477 [illegible] St.

Bright, Sears & Co.

WYMAN'S EXCHANGE

Bankers and Brokers

SECOND FLOOR

TO LET

[illegible]

A LARGE OFFICE, 24 BY 14 FEET on the second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st., good heat and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented or leased at a very reasonable rent. Apply to J. F. Harrington, Building Manager, 9ed Sun building.

11-ROOM HOUSE TO LET

All conveniences and latest improvements. [illegible] Merrimack square. Inquire Royal Theatre. Tel. [illegible] or 1850-W.

LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK [illegible] Centralville, on April [illegible] containing a small sum of money. Owner can have the same by calling at [illegible] Lakeview ave., proving property and paying for the adv.

A DEMOUNTABLE RIM AND TIRE found. Inquire Bon Marche, delivery department.

SUM OF MONEY LOST BETWEEN Moore st. and post office. Reward to finder. Return to H.S. Sun Office.

PAIR OF GOLD STRUNG PEARL rosary beads with name Mary [illegible] stamped on cross, lost Saturday evening between Walnut st. and St. Peter's church. Return to 5, rear 24 Walnut st. Reward.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY LOST IN the vicinity of the post office or Central st. Finder write Box Q61, Sun Office.

DOG FOUND. OWNER MAY HAVE same by proving property and paying charges. Call at Herman Graatz, Centre st., East Chelmsford.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG lady; long and wide experience as stenographic secretary in law office; speaks French, good correspondent. Address M 42, Sun Office.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK WANTED by experienced woman; good references; no laundry; city or country. Apply 5 [illegible] st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR investment in property near the Sacred Heart church school offered. A tenement house, corner location, splendid condition, large lot of land, seldom vacant, rents for [illegible] a year. Price only [illegible] Abel R. Campbell, 1ed Sun building.

SIX-ROOM COTTAGE HOUSE FOR [illegible]

NEAR ST. [illegible] CHURCH [illegible]

W. A. LEW

[illegible]

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE

[illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICES

WHITEWASHING, [illegible] PAINTING—I make work [illegible] Powell st.

LAWRENCE [illegible] HAIR STAIN [illegible]

PIANO [illegible] TUNED AND repaired [illegible] J. Kershaw. [illegible]

WE [illegible] OLD MIRRORS [illegible]

[illegible] BANK [illegible]

FOR SALE

[illegible]

GARDEN LOAM FOR SALE. Inquire [illegible]

MODEL [illegible] BUICK—T [illegible] compression motor; fine running order, [illegible] suitable for [illegible] or [illegible] suitable for a truck [illegible] easy payments. Arthur H. Greene, Park Garage, [illegible] Middlesex st.

30-ROOM LODGING HOUSE AND boarding house for sale; 15-21 Hurd st.; well furnished and steam heated; rent reasonable for number of rooms and location. Apply to A. E. O'Heir's, 15 Hurd st.

52% On Your Money

Barber shop for sale, in good condition, and business location; no experience needed to [illegible] good interest on money for party that buys it rented out or run by themselves. Write E. M., Sun Office.

HELP WANTED

ALL ROUND GIRL WANTED AT once at the Weston House, first street above Merrimack Square Theatre.

MAN OR WOMAN WANTED TO INtroduce and sell Realts. Liberal offer. Good money can be made. The Realts Co., Box [illegible], Lowell, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—$12 WEEKLY salary; big profit. 25-cent article, used in every home, hotel, garage, office building, store. Free sample. Particulars. Gale & Co., 150 Devonshire st., Boston.

CLAIRVOYANT

MADAM ADELLA, CLAIRVOYANT and card reader. If you are in doubt or need help and advice, call at 42 Branch st.

PROF. EHRLICH'S "606" SALVARSAN

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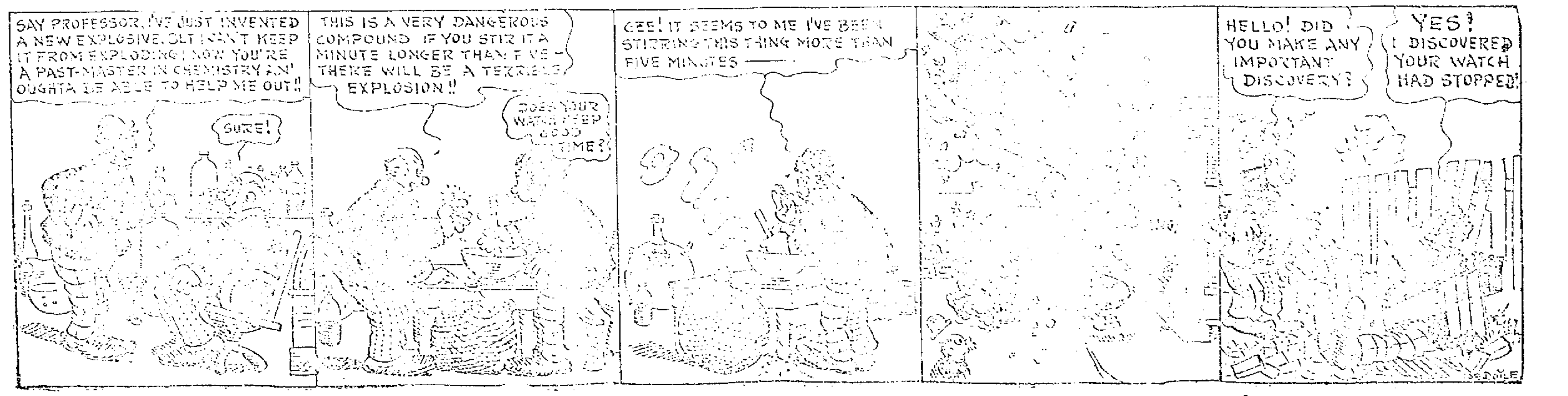

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HE DROPPED DEAD

Councillor W. H. Woods Fatally Stricken at Home in Brighton

BOSTON, May 4.—City Councillor William H. Woods of 19 Union street, Brighton, died suddenly of acute indigestion at his home at 10 o'clock last night.

Death followed his return home from a session of the city council. By a strange coincidence at the meeting he had accused Councillor Coulthurst of attending the sessions when in a condition physically unfit for service.

Councillor Woods has been a resident of Union street, Brighton, for the past 18 years. He was born in Boston 53 years ago

Many years ago Mr. Woods entered into active politics in Boston. He was a member of the old city council in 1895, and of the house of representatives in 1904. In 1907 he was elected to the old board of aldermen

Mr. Woods was born in South Boston, and during the larger part of his life lived in that section and in the South Cove district.

MEANS OF EXPANSION

THOUGHTS GROW BY USE OF WORDS—LANGUAGE EXPANDS AND DEVELOPS MIND

The use of language is not limited to the mere communication of ideas. An equally important function is that of the instrumentality of thought. It is not merely its vehicle, but its means of expansion. Hardly any of our intellectual operations could be carried on without the agency of words. Language is, then, not only the offspring of thought—but its spouse as well. In every process of reasoning words are an essential element. By their means we fashion and embody our ideas.

It is therefore of the highest importance that everyone should acquire the power and habit of expressing himself clearly and correctly. The influence of language on human affairs is beyond computation. It has made history and shaped the destinies of nations. Its place in the lives of individuals is equally as important. Those who possess word-wisdom, or the power of speech, are better equipped for the struggles of life than those whose vocabulary is limited. Fluent, forceful and correct speech has a money value just as surely as mechanical or professional skill.

In this age of a complex civilization the ability to convey ideas with precision is no small equipment. But greater than this is the augmented potentiality of thought. New words enlarge the mental horizon. To speak clearly is to think clearly. The intellect in stretching its boundaries of thought must increase its power of expression by an enlarged vocabulary. A dictionary is therefore a necessity more than ever before. It should be at one's elbow, whether at home, in the office, school shop or study. For these reasons we have taken great pleasure in placing a good dictionary, such as The New Universities Dictionary within the reach of everyone of our readers. Our coupon, published daily, gives the terms.

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CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business Saturday, May 1.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained at Lagorett's pharmacy or from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.

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FIRE PREVENTION

State Wide Fire Signal Suggested, Four-Four, Used in Schools, Urged

BOSTON, May 4.—Two fours rung on a corridor gong signals fire to the mind of every child in the metropolitan district.

A movement was launched yesterday at the office of Metropolitan Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe to make this fire signal, 4—4, a state-wide fire alarm in every factory, department store, office building and other big blocks where there is an interior fire alarm system in operation.

Yesterday afternoon the special committee of school headmasters, for which Commissioner O'Keefe asked some time ago to study with him the problem of introducing fire prevention into the schools, met with the commissioner in conference at his office.

The result of the conference was the decision to undertake to make 4—4 the fire signal which every man, woman and child in the state will sub-consciously and automatically recognize as the signal that there is a fire in some part of the building, and act accordingly. This decision Commissioner O'Keefe regards as one of the most important steps in the recent development of fire prevention.

The committee which has been working with the fire prevention commissioner is composed of George W. Evans, headmaster of the Charlestown High school, chairman; Frank E. Hobart, headmaster of the Chapman district; Charles E. Haines, headmaster of the Lewis district; Herbert L. Morse, headmaster of the George Putnam district, and Joseph B. Egan, headmaster of the Harvard district.

They argue that since the schools long ago adopted 4—4 as the fire signal and this has become firmly fixed in the minds of the children, the same signal should prevail in every building where there is an alarm system, so that the children as they grow up and go into factories, stores and office buildings will hear the same signal that in their school days sent them to their feet to go through the orderly and expeditious routine of the well-planned fire drill.

TALK ON LUTHER BURBANK

LECTURE AT COLONIAL HALL ON THE GREATEST GRAFTER OF THE AGE

In conjunction with the clean-up and painting campaign, which was inaugurated in this city a short time ago, an illustrated lecture will be given at Colonial hall Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The affair will be under the auspices of the Lowell board of trade and the civic committee of the Middlesex Women's club. The lecturer will be Frederick Boegle of the Luther Burbank farms in California, whose subject will be "Luther Burbank; the Man and His Methods."

AUTO TRUCK BURNED

MACHINE OF WALTER ANDREWS DESTROYED ON LONG POND ROAD YESTERDAY

A one-ton International Harvester truck, owned by Walter Andrews, caught fire on the road to Long pond yesterday afternoon and was totally destroyed despite the efforts of neighbors, who rushed to the blazing machine with buckets of water. The cause of the fire was a back fire in the engine.

FLAG DAY COMMITTEE

SUM OF $150 PLEDGED FOR PURCHASE OF FLAGS—LIVING FLAG DEMONSTRATION

The sum of $150 was pledged by the flag day committee at a meeting held last night, for the purchase of 10,000 flags to be sold by school children and others. It is planned to make the Saturday preceding the observance a sort of "tag" day, when flags will be offered for sale in the streets. The flags will have a white border on three sides which will bear the words, "Memorial Day—Flag Day, Lowell, 1915." It was also voted to have a committee of women visit the public schools for the purpose of selecting children for the living flag demonstration to be given on the South common.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gannon, 466 Merrimack street.

MAHARAJA, INDIAN PRINCE, SHOWING HIS NEW WIFE AND SON THE WONDERS OF AMERICA

MAHARAJAH, HIS LATEST WIFE, and HIS SON

NEW YORK, May 4.—H. H. Farzan Dilbund Raskhul-Iti-kad Daulat-i-Inglishia, Rajah-i-Rajagan, Raja Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, maharaja of Kapurthala, grand commander of the Star of India, who visited this country in 1893, is with us again. His highness, who has an income of $3,000,000 a year, 500 servants in the Punjab province, India, where he is permitted to reign in a mild sort of way, and four wives, arrived on the French steamship Patria of the Fabre line. However, he has brought only his last and most beloved wife with him, the maharani of Kapurthala, who was a dancer named Anita Dolgado, half Spanish and half French, now twenty-five years old and handsome. The prince married her in Madrid last year. The potentate, very affable, an Oxford man, with a perfect command of English, boarded the Patria at Gibraltar, the ship being held up for four hours for his highness and his suit of eight. There are with the maharaja and the maharani, who is known officially as her highness Princess Prem Kaur of Kapurthala, the Prince Karimjit Singh of Kapurthala, who is eighteen years old and still in charge of a French governess; secretaries, maids and manservants, and so much baggage, including golf sticks, that the customs agents could not go through it until darkness set in. Most of his diamonds and the maharani's diamonds (she has about $8,000,000 worth) have been left in a safety vault in the Punjab. "There have been many changes here, but one expects big changes," said the ruler. "I wanted my son to see this country. I have come here to renew my acquaintance with America, to travel through it for awhile after a month in Europe. I shall visit Buffalo and Chicago, which I want to see again, and Canada. I may go to the exposition in California and then come back to New York to sail for Europe. I left Bombay in the latter part of March, and I have seen a little news about insurrection and mutiny in India, but the reports are very much exaggerated. There is a little disaffection on the part of a few. As a whole the population of India is very loyal to Great Britain. I have not been at the front, but I have a son fighting for Great Britain in France."

MAYO HEARING MAY 14

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS BROUGHT BY SCRANTON WOMAN AGAINST NEW HAVEN MANUFACTURER

SCRANTON, Pa., May 4.—May 14th was fixed by the court yesterday for hearing the divorce suit of Mrs. Florence Weeks Mayo of this city against Virginius J. Mayo, the New Haven manufacturer, who came into public notice several months ago after the death of his stenographer, Lillian Cook.

The libellant alleges she was married to Mayo at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1891, and that she was his second wife. She claims he deserted her.

CARBUNCLE COSTS LIFE

WORCESTER, May 4.—Walter P. Kramer, 22, a member of the senior class of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and a son of Walter S. Kramer of 20 Sheffield road, Winchester, died this evening at the Memorial hospital of septic poisoning, due to a carbuncle on his neck.

The young man became delirious Saturday and was taken late in the afternoon to the hospital. His condition became rapidly worse and he died at 8.30 o'clock last night.

DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

Mrs. W. H. Brown Tells How She Was Relieved After Long Suffering

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Danvers, Mass., was a victim of stomach trouble which tortured her for years. She tried many treatments and medicines and got little relief.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and got results right away. In telling of her case she wrote:

"For years I have suffered terribly with stomach trouble. I could find no relief. Then the blessing from above, I heard of your remedy; sent for it, and after a few treatments am being cured. I am going to tell all my friends of your marvelous remedy."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal, ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee if not satisfactory money will be returned.

DESTROYER LAUNCHED

TUCKER IS ONE OF THE LARGEST VESSELS OF ITS KIND IN THE WORLD

QUINCY, May 4.—The torpedoboat destroyer Tucker, launched at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation today is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

It measures 351 feet ever all with a beam of 20 feet ten inches and depth 17 feet and seven inches. The displacement is 1020 tons and the vessel is equipped with a 1700 horsepower engine.

The Tucker is named for Commodore Samuel Tucker, who served in the war of the revolution and of 1812. When John Adams was appointed minister to France he sailed from Quincy in the frigate Boston, of which Commodore Tucker was in command.

Mrs. William Garty of Brookline, a lineal descendant of the commodore, was chosen as sponsor.

SUN FEATURES WEDNESDAY

Man in the Moon, Everyday Etiquette and Other Feature Articles for Sun Readers Tomorrow

In a sparkling contribution which will be printed in The Sun tomorrow, "The Man in the Moon" comments on a variety of local affairs. Among other things, he writes of the exhibition of Orson Lowell's drawings at the Whistler house. He also talks of the bowling situation. The article will prove of interest to all readers.

Questions of etiquette regarding dinner parties, cards, invitations, etc., will be answered in a helpful way in "Everyday Etiquette."

"The French Maid" will tell how to clean the gas stove. The morning toilette will be the topic of discussion in "In Milady's Boudoir." The "Sleepy-time Tale" for the children will be "The Princess of the Tower."

ORDER OF BUFFALOES

Plans are completed for the second annual concert and ball of Lowell nest, No. 16, Benevolent Order of Buffaloes to be held in Associate hall Thursday evening.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The executive board of the Young Women's Christian association has chosen Miss Helen Hyndman of Schenectady, N. Y. for the position of general secretary of the local association, to succeed Miss Harriett L. Routelle. The new secretary will report in September.

Miss Hyndman will be graduated from the Y. W. C. A. National training school in New York city in June and she comes highly recommended. She is a graduate of Smith college in the class of 1908 and afterward served as a volunteer worker for the Schenectady association and later as its president.

GOVERNOR IN ACCIDENT

AUTO SKIDS AT LAWRENCE ALMOST IN WAY OF TRAIN—STOPPED JUST IN TIME

LAWRENCE, May 4—Gov. Walsh's life was in danger for a few moments last night. An automobile on which he had come from Boston with J. Augustus Donovan, chairman of the Lawrence democratic city committee, skidded on wet pavements at the South Lawrence crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad.

A northbound train was speeding on the tracks toward which the machine slewed. The chauffeur's efforts to arrest the car by the brakes were unsuccessful and the train was almost upon the crossing, when the governor's automobile was stopped by the crossing gates.

It was some minutes before Gov. Walsh regained his composure and he was forced to rest before addressing the Young Men's Christian association. Later he spoke to the Knights of Columbus.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Women Should Take Warning

If the statement made at a New York assembly of women, that healthy American women are so rare that they are almost extinct, is true, it is time for the women of America to take warning and look to their health. It may be headaches, backaches, dragging down pains, nervousness, mental depression that are telltale symptoms of some organic derangement for which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—a simple remedy made from roots and herbs—is a specific and may be relied upon to restore women to a healthy normal condition.

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CARMEN'S UNION

Executive Board Points Out the Car Sprinkler Man's Mistake

The executive board of the local Carmen's union has come across with a statement to prove that if Supt. Perry of the American Sprinkler company had given the union what it asked, the American Car Sprinkler company would have been money in pocket.

"Mr. Perry," said the executive spokesman, "was willing to put motormen on front of both sprinklers at $17.64 each, per week; one motorman on the arm (acting as foreman), at $20 a week; one man on arm at $14 a week, and two uniformed conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week, each. The $15.12 represents the pay paid conductors the first year, and as one of the rules of the union is to observe seniority, it could not agree to two first year men on rear end.

"Our proposition was for motormen on the front ends, at $17.64 a week, as agreed to by Mr. Perry, and conductors on the rear end at $17.64 each. We did not have anything to say about the arm men, and Mr. Perry could have continued them at $14 a week.

"If you will go over the figures you will see that our proposition was a better one for Mr. Perry's company than was his own proposition. The term of his contract is 31 weeks and now we will see how much it would have cost the company to have carried out Mr. Perry's suggestion. The pay of two motormen at $17.64 a week, each, for 31 weeks would equal $1,093.68. One man at the arm at $20 a week for 31 weeks, would have earned $620, and one man at $14 a week, $434. Two conductors on the tail end at $15.12 a week each would have earned $937.44, and if you add all these sums together you will find that the sum total is $2,085.12, and that's what it would have cost the company under Mr. Perry's suggestion.

"Now we will see what it would have cost the company if our requests had been complied with. We wanted four men at $17.64 each, two motormen and two conductors. For 31 weeks this would total $2,156.36. Two arm men at $14 a week for 31 weeks would figure $868, making a grand total of $3,024.36, or a saving for the company of $60.76 as compared with what Mr. Perry said he was willing to do."

BOMB EXPLODED

Bronxborough Hall Badly Damaged—Two Men Hurled 20 Feet

NEW YORK, May 4.—A powerful dynamite bomb exploded in the Bronxborough hall last night, badly damaging that building only a short time before a meeting of tax payers was to have been held there. Only five persons were in the building. Although two of them were thrown 20 feet, neither was injured. The first floor of the building occupied chiefly by the bureau of highways was wrecked and the structure was so badly damaged that it was closed.

Two foreigners were arrested near the scene shortly after the explosion and taken to police headquarters for examination.

Borough President Douglas Mathewson's personal attendant and a consulting engineer were in the president's office when the explosion occurred directly under it and they were hurled the length of the room.

The authorities expressed the opinion that the perpetrators of last night's crime are the same ones who last November exploded a bomb near the Bronx courthouse just as Judge L. D. Gibbs of Bronx county was leaving the building. No one was injured, but much damage was done to the court house and surrounding property. Judge Gibbs at that time declared he believed the motive to be revenge sought by friends of white slavers, who had been sentenced by his court.

TRIAL OF $3000,000 SUIT

ACTION BEGUN IN THE DAMAGES CASE AGAINST B. & M. IN WHICH FIRE IS BLAMED TO A SPARK

BOSTON, May 4.—In the Middlesex superior civil court yesterday, before Judge Stevens and a jury, the trial of the $300,000 suit for damages against the Boston & Maine railroad, brought by the Converse Rubber company of Malden, was begun. The Rubber company alleges that a spark from one of the defendant's locomotives set fire to the company's storehouse Feb. 2, 1914, causing considerable damage.

L. H. S. BATTALION NIGHT

Three Companies Will Go Through the Maneuvers on Next Friday Evening—Full Military Regalia

The first "Battalion Night" under the auspices of the Lowell high school regiment will be held at the school armory on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. Owing to the inadequacy of the drill headquarters for the holding of regimental maneuvers, Companies A, G and I have been selected to go through maneuvers. The privates will be in full military regalia.

LIFE SAVING CLASSES

Forty-one members of the local Y. M. C. A. have registered in the new life saving classes which hold sessions as follows:

Seniors, Monday evenings at 9 o'clock; students, Friday afternoons, juniors, Saturday mornings, and employed boys, Saturday afternoons. The course of work given in these classes prepares the men enrolled for the international life saving examinations which will be held here on May 20, 21 and 22.

WOMEN'S MEETING POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, which was scheduled to be held at Marion during the week of June 7, has been postponed to June 21 and 25.

TROLLEY STRIKE

Wood Says, 'Settlement Soon in Sight,' at Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, May 4.—Conference between the Trolleymen's union, the state board of arbitration and officials of the Springfield Street Railway company, held all day yesterday up to midnight, resulted in no settlement of the trouble between the company and employes.

Three proposals for peace offered by the union have been rejected and a fourth will be considered at a conference of company officials this morning at 10 o'clock. One proposal made by the company has been rejected by the trolleymen.

Pending further conferences the public investigation called for today has been postponed until tomorrow.

In a statement given out by Charles G. Wood of the state board early this morning he said:

"Every conference and each proposal brings the men nearer rockbottom. Settlement soon is in sight."

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JUMPED FOR HER LIFE

MISS KATHERINE COLBURN OF DEDHAM JUMPED FROM BACK OF RUNAWAY HORSE

DEDHAM, May 4.—How Miss Katherine Colburn, a young woman of this town, was carried four miles over the Blue Hills on the back of a badly frightened runaway horse Sunday, finally jumping off and receiving serious injuries, became known yesterday.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Henry F. Endicott, whose husband is Henry F. Endicott, the millionaire shoe manufacturer. She is widely known for her love of horses and as a driver and rider. Recently she purchased a Kentucky racer and planned to enter the thoroughbred in the Brookline Country club races on June 17.

Sunday she took the animal out for the first time. It behaved well from the time of leaving Miss Colburn's home on East street until the bridle path in the Blue Hills was reached. When well into the path the animal became frightened and bolted off the path and up the hill.

Miss Colburn exerted all her power to master the animal, to no avail. The horse continued at breakneck speed up the long slope of Blue Hill, Miss Colburn every moment expecting to be thrown off.

The top of the ridge reached, the animal continued down the opposite side, Miss Colburn's predicament here being increased by fear the horse would stumble.

When more than half way down the hill, Miss Colburn thought it best to throw herself off the animal's back. She landed heavily on a spot free from stumps and stones, but received a severe injury to her left knee.

The horse continued its run until halted by a mounted Metropolitan park policeman near the stable at the foot of the hill. After taking the horse into the stable, the officer searched for the owner and found Miss Colburn walking, her clothing torn and blood flowing from a serious cut in her knee.

He carried her to the emergency room of the Metropolitan police station nearby and a physician was called, who found it necessary to take 15 stitches in the cut. Numerous bruises were sustained about the arms and body.

At her home last night Miss Colburn was comfortable, but she will not be able to be about for some days to come.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our kind neighbors, friends and relatives who by words of sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten our burden of sorrow in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary E. Tighe. We assure all that their kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. Philip Tighe and family.

JITNEYS FORCE TAX REDUCTION

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The federal trustees of the Rhode Island company last night petitioned the common council, asking the city to reduce the company's franchise tax from 5 to 1 per cent, because of the serious inroads that the motor buses have made upon the receipts of the company, which is a subsidiary of the New Haven railroad, said yesterday that about $100,000 in nickels which would ordinarily go to his company have been diverted to the motor buses during March and April. In the opinion of the railway officials the situation is serious.

A WOMAN'S CHARM

Beautiful hair, fluffy, lustrous, abundant and free from dandruff, is one of woman's greatest charms—it's her main delight—yet many who would be most attractive but for their streaked, thin and lifeless hair, think there is no remedy and that pretty hair is a gift of nature. Beautiful hair is always a matter of care and proper nourishment of the hair roots.

If your hair has been neglected, is thin, faded, dry or too oily, Parisian Sage, a delicately perfumed liquid, well rubbed into the scalp and brushed through the hair will work wonders—you will be surprised and delighted with the first application—not only will your hair appear twice as abundant—soft, fluffy and radiant with life—but really doubly beautiful.

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